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EARL GREY BIDS CANADA GOOD-BYE

SAILED FROM QUEBEC TO-DAY FOR ENGLAND

Citizens of Ancient Capital, With Customary Loyalty, Bade Him Au Revoir

Quebec, Oct. 12.—Earl Grey and party left Quebec at noon to-day. The vice-regal party left the citadel at half past eleven and drove to the King's wharf, where they boarded the Canadian government steamer Earl Grey, and proceeded down the river, on the way meeting the incoming R. M. S. Empress of Ireland, on which is the Duke of Connaught and party. After this Earl Grey and party will board the R. M. S. Victorian, on which they will return to England. On boarding the steamer Earl Grey a salute of nineteen guns was fired from the citadel.

Earl Grey was given a most affectionate send-off at the city hall last night. His Excellency and Lady Grey and party arrived in the morning by special train.

In the vicefegal party were their Excellencies Earl Grey and Countess Grey, Lady Evelyn and Lady Marjorie Grey, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm, Mrs. A. F. Slade, Capt. Freeman, Capt. Bingham and Col. Sherwood, chief of the Dominion police. In the party were also the three aides-de-camp to his Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, Capts. Bulkely, Worthington and Logan. The party were entertained at luncheon at Spencerwood in the afternoon by the lieutenant-governor and members of the provincial cabinet.

Last evening there was a great gathering of citizens at the city hall, when his Excellency was the recipient of a civic address and a gift from the citizens of the ancient capital. The gift was a replica of the Wolfe and Montcalm monument.

In his address Mayor Drouin made mention of the brilliant career of his Excellency in Canada, which was appreciated by all classes of the population. "Like your illustrious predecessor," the mayor said, "You have given proof of your wisdom and enlightened devotion and zeal in the public service." The address continued:

"If it was not presumption on our part we would have wished, following the custom of the old cities and the towns of the ancient world, to write your name in the book of gold reserved for the great citizens who brought lustre to their country. But without exceeding our more modest role it is our pleasure to repeat that in our memory will live your record; that we bear it not only in our hearts, but that it is graven in letters that cannot be effaced in these historic walls which owe their restoration to your care."

Earl Grey made a very touching reply, speaking in French and his thanks for the many favors which he had received from the people of Canada during his residence among them. He expressed his appreciation of the loyalty of the Canadian people.

The city hall was a blaze of glory, the building being splendidly illuminated and decorated, as well as the whole locality.

PROVINCE AND RAILWAY.

Edmonton, Alta., Oct. 12.—The hearing of the case of the province of Alberta against the Royal Bank for $6,000,000, proceeds of the sale of the Waterways Railway lands, was concluded before Mr. Justice Stuart yesterday afternoon and judgment reserved. Addresses were delivered yesterday by E. P. Davis, K. C., Vancouver, and W. H. Walsh, Calgary, for the province, and in reply by G. R. Moss, Toronto, representing the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Co. It will likely be some weeks before a decision is handed down by Mr. Justice Stuart. An appeal will be taken whichever way the case goes, and will be until the Privy Council is reached.

WILL CONVEY KING AND QUEEN TO INDIA

Steamship Medina Put in Commission as Temporary Vessel of Navy

Portsmouth, Oct., 12.—The steamer Medina, which has been chartered to transport the King and Queen and royal party to India for the great coronation durbar at Delhi, has been put into commission here as a navy vessel pro tem. Rear-Admiral Sir Colin Keppel took command and will also be executive officer of the escort, which is to consist of the first-class cruisers Cochrane, Argyll, Defense and Natal.

The royal fleet will sail out of Portsmouth on November 9th. The state entrance of the King and Queen into Delhi has been set for December 7th. The durbar, or coronation of King George as Emperor of India, will take place on December 12th, and will be the most lavish and expensive ceremony of its kind in the world's history.

SINISTER FORCES IN THE CABINET

FRIENDLY NEWSPAPER MUCH DISAPPOINTED

Montreal Star is Quite Frank in Criticism of Premier Borden's Choice

Montreal, Oct. 12.—No newspaper in Canada more strongly supported the Conservative party in the recent elections than the Montreal Star. No matter what may be thought of the character of the campaign it waged no one denies that it was a strenuous one. The remarks of that newspaper on the composition of Mr. Borden's cabinet, in advising as to which Sir Hugh Graham had some hand, are therefore all the more interesting. The Star says editorially:

"There was the highest hope through out the country that with his huge majority, largely composed of 'new blood,' Mr. Borden would feel free to give us a government wholly unshadowed by even a question as to the character or reputation of any of the ministers.

"It would be hypocrisy for the Montreal Star to pretend that this has been done. People's memories are not short enough to have forgotten our public opinion of some of the men who have been called to office.

"Sinister forces have been granted an admission to the Privy Council chamber at a time when they might easily have been rigidly excluded."

Toronto Opinions.

Toronto, Oct. 12.—The News says of the cabinet: "The country will be favorably impressed with the composition of the Borden cabinet. Some names have been omitted that the News would be glad to see in the roll of ministers. There may be a question as to the distribution of portfolios. But even where there may be differences of opinion, Mr. Borden may be wiser than his critics and undoubtedly the cabinet as constituted represents a high average of ability and integrity."

The Star says: "It is a disappointment to see the portfolio of agriculture go as far west as British Columbia, but if it had to go there, Mr. Burrell, who is a practical fruit grower, is not open to serious objection."

WOMAN SUFFRAGE REMAINS IN DOUBT

California Vote is Not Yet All in—Friends Are Hopeful

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 12.—The fate of the proposed amendment to the state legislation that will, if carried, grant to women the right of the ballot, remains in doubt. The latest returns at hand show the proposed amendment to be 885 votes short of a majority, but as the vote of the big cities is completed the supporters of the proposed amendment assert the belief that the country districts, as yet unheard from, will overcome this vote in opposition.

Six hundred and fifty-eight precincts remain to be heard from and suffragist leaders say to-day that they expect to win by a majority of between 3,000 and 4,000 votes. They said that they had received assurances from the sections from which the returns were to come that the sentiment in favor of suffrage had been strong before election.

The three morning papers of this city say to-day that the proposed amendment has a good chance to carry and one of the papers predicted a majority of 4,000. It will probably be late this afternoon before the result is known to a certainty.

Returns from 1,539 precincts, including San Francisco and Los Angeles, complete, give: For women suffrage, 72,383; against, 82,296. Majority against 9,913. The figures represent a little more than one-half the precincts of the state. Outside of the counties around San Francisco Bay the state apparently voted strongly in favor of granting the ballot to women.

WHEAT FIELD TO TABLE.

Beloit, Kas., Oct. 12.—What is believed to be a world's record in transforming standing grain into bread, was established recently by W. S. Gabel, a farmer, living near here. Just thirty minutes elapsed between the time when the wheat was cut and when Mr. Gabel took the first bite of a biscuit which had been made from the wheat, threshed, milled and formed into flour ready for baking. The previous record is said to have been one hour.

COUNTERFEIT BILL.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—The public is warned by the secret service against a new counterfeit ten-dollar bill. This spurious certificate, on the Crocker National Bank of San Francisco, is of the series of 1902-1908, bears check ledger "F" and the names of Charles H. New and W. T. Vernon as treasurer of the United States and registrar of the treasury, respectively. It would deceive only inexperienced handlers of money.



PROUD OF HIS HANDIWORK

REPRESENTATIVE OF "THE INTERESTS" (to the new premier)—Well, Borden, what do you think of the cabinet I have made for you? Rather a neat job, I think. Cost us quite a penny, it is true; but we will make that all up in a year or two.

ITALY ASSURING HOLD ON TRIPOLI

TROOPS WILL ADVANCE AGAINST THE TURKS

All Rumors of an Armistice Are Premature—Unquiet in Constantinople

Tripoli, Oct. 12.—General Caneava, commander-in-chief of the Italian expedition, has, it appears, ordered an immediate advance against the positions occupied by the Turks in the interior of Tripoli.

Nineteen transports arrived in the harbor this morning. They brought the second part of the Italian army expeditionary corps which is to occupy Tripoli. The landing of the troops, artillery, ammunition and horses began immediately.

When the transports were sighted the forts saluted and the colors of Italy were run up over the forts and public buildings of the town.

Governor Borea D'Olmo, Commandant Cagni, Mayor Hassoun Karamanti and several Arab chiefs went to the pier and personally welcomed the officers and men as they came ashore.

Tripoli Accepting New Order.

Rome, Oct. 12.—Advices received here to-day from Tripoli state that the Italian governor, Rear-Admiral Borea D'Olmo, has been obliged to expel several Maltese who were attached to the old regime and have shown a disposition to resist the new order of things.

The population of Tripoli is being augmented daily. Not only are former residents returning, but there are many new-comers who have been attracted by the business opportunities afforded by the presence of a large body of soldiers and sailors.

Malta, Oct. 12.—Five hundred Maltese refugees, whose passage has been paid by the government, have just left for Tripoli on the steamer Marco Aurello. The government has supplied them with three days' rations and small sums of money raised by charity.

Armistice Rumors Unfounded.

Paris, Oct. 12.—The French foreign office had no confirmation to-day of the published statement that Italy and Turkey were on the point of arranging an armistice. On the contrary the officials regarded the report as premature. Neither power has informed France as to the conditions under which an offer could be made.

Preparing for Attack.

London, Oct. 12.—The Times is informed that reports have been received in London from an apparently trustworthy source that the Turks have laid mines near the Dardanelles.

Constantinople Unquiet.

London, Oct. 12.—A news dispatch from Constantinople, forwarded by way of the Bulgarian frontier to avoid the Turkish censor, to-day says that the situation in the Turkish capital is grave. It is feared that when parliament meets Saturday an open conflict will take place between the committee of union and progress and the revolutionary party.

The masses are greatly excited against the Young Turk committee, and the best men refuse to join the government while the committee attempts to dominate it.

BARRICADES HOME AND DEFIES ARREST

Quebec Farmer Said to Have Murdered a Visitor—Constables Are Sent Out

Papineauville, Que., Oct. 12.—A murder was reported late yesterday to have taken place in the settlement of Boileau, in Ponsonby township, Labelle county, forty miles from here, when Felix Drouin, a farmer, is said to have shot an unknown man on his farm. The deceased was evidently a stranger to the neighborhood, which is 25 miles away from any railway.

The alleged murderer has barricaded himself in his house, where he has ample arms and ammunition and threatens to kill anyone who interferes with him.

Four witnesses saw the shooting but no one could recover the body because of the murderer's threats. Mayor Tessier, of Ponsonby, notified Sheriff Wright, of Hull, and asked for assistance.

Chief Provincial Detective McCaskill, of Montreal, was called for and a party left for the scene of the murder from this place by road.

FILLING THE VACANCIES.

Halifax, N. C., Oct. 12.—Hon. O. T. Daniels, who represents Annapolis in the Nova Scotia Assembly, was yesterday sworn in as attorney-general of of Province of Nova Scotia, vice Hon. A. K. Maclean, who has been elected to the Commons as Liberal member for Halifax.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 12.—The resignation of Hon. J. D. Hazen as premier and attorney-general in the provincial government will be tendered to the lieutenant governor in a few days, when Hon. J. K. Fleming, provincial secretary, will in all probability be called up to form a new government. The new premier will retain the portfolio of provincial secretary, and Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, the present surveyor general, will become attorney-general.

KILLED IN DUMB WAITER.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 12.—Miss Eva Fotheringham, aged 19, was strangled here last night by an automatic dumb waiter. The young woman was reaching for groceries on the lift when it shot upward, pinning her head against the wall. She was alone in the apartment at the time and was dead when discovered by her sister.

NOTED PHILANTHROPIST.

London, Oct. 12.—Sir William John Crossley, formerly Liberal member of parliament from the Altrincham division of Cheshire and a philanthropist, died today. He was born in 1841 at Dunmurray, Ireland.

THREE SENATORS MORE FOR B. C.

R. F. GREEN MENTIONED AS ONE OF THE NEW TRIO

Chance for Government to Reward Friends—Twenty-four Members for West

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 12.—According to the act creating the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan in 1905 it was provided that the senate representation of these provinces might be increased to four each after the then next decennial census, and a similar provision was made for Manitoba.

The Borden government intends to give this increase of six senators to the prairie provinces and also an increase of three senators to British Columbia, this making the total number of senators from the west twenty-four, which is the same number as now allotted respectively to Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

The increase will enable the government to reward some of the many aspirants for favors. For British Columbia the names of G. H. Cowan and Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, of Vancouver, and Robt. F. Green, of Victoria, have already been proposed. For Alberta defeated Conservative candidates Herron and Magrath are likely to be taken care of, as well as Lake in Saskatchewan and Haggart in Winnipeg, the latter being rewarded for giving up his seat to Hon. Robert Rogers.

COLUMBUS DAY.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 12.—Oregon is today celebrating for the first time Columbus Day, which was made a holiday by the legislature at the 1911 session. In this city the principal celebrations are in charge of Italian societies, out of compliment to the nationality of the discoverer of America, and the Knights of Columbus, lately through whose efforts the day was set aside as a holiday. The banks of the city, the schools, post office and a majority of the business houses of the city observed the day by closing.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 12.—With elaborate pageants of land and water, Chicago today celebrated Columbus Day in honor of the 419th anniversary of the discovery of America. Solemn high mass was celebrated at the Holy Name Cathedral in honor of the event, which was followed by a parade of Italian organizations in historical costume.

CERTAINLY NOT.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 12.—A man is not justified in spanking his wife even if she deserves it, according to a decision on file to-day in Justice Young's court. In rendering the decision, Justice Young fined E. W. Payne $5. Payne had pleaded guilty to the charge of having spanked his wife, but pleaded justification. "No matter how much she deserved to be spanked, the law does not permit of your taking a hand in the matter," said the justice as he ordered Payne to pay the fine.

CHINESE TROOPS MUTINY; MAY OVERTHROW MANCHUS

Hundreds Killed—Result of Yesterday's Troubles in Hankow—Missionaries Reported to Be Safe.

Pekin, Oct. 12.—Between 5,000 and 6,000 Chinese troops in Hankow are reported to have mutinied this morning and killed from 200 to 300 Manchus. The rebels occupied Sui Ting Fu yesterday.

Elaborate military precautions have been taken to prevent any sympathetic revolutionary uprising and the palaces are guarded by troops of proved loyalty.

The advices received here indicate that three regiments of the army participated in the revolt at Wu Chang.

It is believed that the revolutionaries will attempt to destroy the railroad and prevent the transportation into Hupeh province of the troops that were concentrated at Sze Chuen last month.

A telegram from Hankow states that at the most four battalions remain loyal. It is known that three Wu Chang regiments of infantry and one regiment of artillery revolted.

The American gunboat Helena and the Japanese cruiser Tsushima were ordered to Hankow to-day. Several British warships have been ordered to proceed there to-day. The women and children living on the waterfront slept aboard the merchant steamers in the harbor last night.

According to Chinese rumors, Kang Yu Wei, who was advisor to the late Emperor until 1908, when the coup of the Dowager Empress restored her regency and drove the Emperor's advisor into exile, has arrived at Hankow.

The missionaries at Wu Chang are safe.

A dispatch from Cheng Tu says that the insurgents in Sze Chuen province hold all the country west of the Min river between Kia Llenge, which is 85 miles south of Cheng Tu and Kwan Hsien, 15 miles north and 35 miles west of Cheng Tu.

Five hundred troops have joined the rebels and the fighting continues daily.

An imperial edict, issued to-day, orders the minister of war, General Yin, Tchang, to proceed to Hankow with two divisions of Peking troops, about twenty thousand of whom will be Manchus. The commander of the Chinese navy, Admiral Sa Chin Ping, is commanded to assemble a fleet of warships in the Yangtze Kiang river and join the land forces in the attack on the rebels now in possession of Wu Chang, Hankow and Hank Yang.

The edict cashiers the viceroy at Wu Chang, who fled before the rebels, but at the same time orders him to return to his post and retrieve his reputation. He is threatened with severe punishment if he fails to capture Wu Chang. It is expected that the revolutionists will dynamite the bridges of the Peking and Hankow to prevent the arrival of troops. Extraordinary precautions are being enforced here. Chinese passengers are forbidden to travel on the Peking and Hankow railroad beyond Chumation Hunan province.

A dispatch to the British legation from Chung King says that the rebels of Sze Chuen hold the Min river and the country west and confirms earlier reports of daily fighting in the vicinity.

Loyal Troops Fled.

Hankow, Oct. 11.—To-day the loyal troops fled across the river, followed by the bullets of the insurgents. A fugitive colonel of the Chinese army informed the correspondent of the Associated Press at Hankow that the entire provisional army of Hupeh, with the exception of two or three thousand men, mutinied. The proclamation of the revolutionaries threatened with decapitation anyone who assaulted a foreigner. The movement aims at the overthrow of the Manchus, the reigning dynasty.

Missionaries Are Safe.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 12.—The Episcopal board of missions to-day received the following cable from Bishop Logan H. Roots, of Hankow, China, who has charge of the Episcopal missionary work in that part of the Empire: "Missionaries are safe and well. Everything is now quiet. Can remain here."

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 12.—Relatives here of Miss Hilda M. Byles, formerly an instructor in the Omaha high school, now engaged in missionary work in Kuling, China, have expressed fears for her safety. Winter Byles, a local newspaper writer, brother of Miss Byles, has not heard from his sister since the outbreak of the rebellion.

METHODISTS GREET ALL DENOMINATIONS

Fraternal Delegates Cordially Received at Great Conference in Toronto

Toronto, Oct. 12.—At the Ecumenical Methodist Conference last evening the session was given up to the reception of fraternal delegations and the conference was in its best mood.

Rev. J. H. A. Palmer, Dean of McMaster University, Toronto, represented the World's Baptist Alliance, and brought the good wishes of the eight million members of the Baptist church in the world. He congratulated the Methodists on their past history and their present activity, especially their present moral reform work in this country. "We are facing the future together," he said.

Rev. S. P. Cadman, D. D., New York, represented the Congregational church. Dr. Cadman was trained in the Methodist church and made very cordial reference to it as his mother church. He said that the churches were more concerned with the to-morrows than with the yesterdays. The church that makes much of Christ will emerge victorious. The ruling idea of the eighteenth century was gravitation, of the nineteenth evolution, of the twentieth union. He did not believe in a union that was mechanical. That kind would go up in a day and down in a night. The church needed above all great leaders. He thought the deep spiritual consciousness of the age ought to evolve another Wesley or Asbury.

The greetings of the pan-Presbyterians were conveyed by Rev. Dr. Somerville and Hamilton Cassels, K. C., of Toronto, Dr. Somerville said those holding the Presbyterian system numbered about eighty-four branches and represented thirty or more millions of adherents. They had raised over $60,000,000 in the past year for their work. He evoked considerable laughter by tracing the Presbyterians as "elders" back to the time of Moses and from then on till the elders fell before the throne in heaven. He referred to the meetings of the union committee in Canada as a pentecostal season.

Mr. Cassells was surprised to hear of so many adherents in evangelical churches. If they there represented ninety millions of people why was the evangelization of the world going on so slowly.

These greetings were responded to by the Ecumenical Conference through Rev. F. L. Wiseman, president-elect of the British Wesleyan conference for 1912. His address was a plea that each of the denominations should continue to cultivate the particular type of religion it represented and thus make a contribution to the wealth of the church universal. He could not think that the stars which presided over their destinies at their birth would cease to operate. He saw a great work for each of these churches in the future. Difference of opinion or distinctions did not mean division in the sense of scism. He eloquently described the ideal Presbyterian, Baptist and Congregationalist and urged them to go on as of yore.

Rev. Dr. H. Dubose, of Atlanta, Georgia, spoke in high terms of the Baptists, with whom the Methodists held the most friendly relation of any in the great republic. The Presbyterians reminded him of Holyrood Castle and John Knox, who said: "O God, give me Scotland or I die," and the Congregationalists reminded him of the Mayflower and that path of glory made across the Atlantic which no waves or storms could obliterate. Dr. Dubose was not in favor of the proposed union, judging by his indirect references to it. In the name of the larger unity he bade the fraternal delegations carry the greetings to all Methodists of all denominations.

THOUSANDS WILL SEE THE WORLD'S SERIES

Wait All Night to Secure Their Tickets on Opening of Sale To-day

New York, Oct. 12.—More than a thousand baseball enthusiasts stormed the headquarters of the New York National League club to-day to buy tickets for the world's series. Some had been in line since 10 o'clock last night.

After the doors were opened at 9 a. m. the crowd rushed the policemen on guard off their feet. Hats were lost, coats were torn off and the floor was littered with torn clothing.

Speculators who had agents sprinkled through the line comforted them during the long night wait by relays of sandwiches and coffee. The tickets were limited to four for each person.



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SCHOOL TRUSTEES TO MEET COUNCIL

Manual Pupils of Esquimalt Go to Victoria West to Attend Special Classes

Chairman of school trustees George Jay and Trustees Mrs. Jenkins and McIntosh were last night appointed a committee by the school board to meet the city council in connection with the request for a grant of $15,000 asked by the board from the city, which the city solicitor has advised the council cannot legally grant. Bank street is to be completed and there are additions to the Victoria West school needed that cannot be completed without the additional money.

The growing need of more school accommodation is in evidence at the North Ward school and if the city arranges the additional grant to the school board, the funds remaining from the annual grant for schools will be sufficient to provide new temporary accommodation at the North Ward schoolhouse.

Pupils of the Esquimalt school are to be permitted to obtain manual instruction in the manual training classes of the Victoria West school. The arrangement was completed last night on the financial basis that the educational department pays $20 and the Esquimalt school trustees $5 per month towards the salaries of the city teachers necessary to instruct the outside pupils in this work.

The same committee that was appointed to meet the city council is to prepare resolutions on behalf of the board for submission to the annual meeting of the B. C. Association of School Trustees which meets at Vancouver, November 8, 9 and 10. The resolutions will advocate statutory amendments prohibiting the granting of liquor licenses for premises adjacent to a public school, and to do away with licenses that now exist in the vicinity of schools. The school board at present has power to expropriate land for school purposes, but is without power to put the expropriations into effect. The matter will be drafted into a resolution to go before the association urging amendments to the act that will have the required power.

Principal S. J. Willis of the High School suggested that fifty Ross rifles for High School cadets be obtained. The board agreed and will give a bond of $50 for each rifle, agreeing to return them in good repair and condition when the cadets are through with them.

Ian St. Clair was granted his usual honorarium for swimming instruction. Superintendent Paul remarked that the time is approaching when swimming will be on the schools' curriculum.

Leave of absence was granted Dr. Wasson, medical inspector, to take a course in England. Dr. Raynor will act during Dr. Wasson's absence.

The board received with regret the resignation of Miss Isabel Moore, who has been two years in the school board offices. Miss Moore severs her connection with the office November 11.

Miss Leggett of Edinburgh, was appointed to the teaching staff.

The offer of W. Bond and W. Martineau of property comprising lot 16 and part of lot 15, about two and two-thirds acres, was accepted. The price is $16,100. The site has been secured for school building purposes in the future.

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Mr. G. A. Dufresne, 183-185 St. Joseph street, St. Roch, Quebec, P. Q., writes: "I can highly recommend Zam-Buk to everyone who suffers from piles."

Magistrate Senford, of Weston, King's Co., N. S., says: "I suffered long from itching piles, but Zam-Buk has now cured me."

Mr. William Kenty, of Upper Nine Mile River, Hants Co., N. S., says: "I suffered terribly from piles, the pain at times being almost unbearable. I tried various ointments, but everything I tried failed to do me the slightest good. I was tired of trying various remedies, when I heard of Zam-Buk, and thought as a last resource I would give this balm a trial. After a very short time Zam-Buk effected a complete cure."

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POACHERS OR WORSE?

Rome, Oct. 12.—The Corriere D'Italia says that a patrol of carbineers last night encountered four men armed with guns in the woods around the castle of San Rossore, where the King is staying. Shots were exchanged. Three of the men escaped, but the fourth was caught. The men are said to be poachers, but the paper points out that they were not known in the neighborhood.

The latest statistics prove that more than two-thirds of the grown male population of the globe use tobacco in some one of the many forms in which it is taken.

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Bradshaw, Martin and Marymont Let Contract That Makes Record for October

Six stories of concrete construction with basement below for Bradshaw & Marymont, on Douglas street, between Broughton and Courtney streets, to cost 126,000, and to be used for offices, was authorized yesterday by the issuance of a building permit to Atkinson & Dill, contractors.

There are 105 offices planned in the building, each with hot and cold water connections and steam heat. A deep basement suitable for occupancy as a restaurant is shown on the plans which were drawn by H. S. Griffiths. It will be the first office on the south end of Douglas street.

The value of this permit added to those previously granted this month by the city building inspector marks a record for October building in Victoria. The total for the eleven days is $258,990, which, as compared with $124,375 for the first eleven days of last October, shows an increase of over 50 per cent.

Other permits issued yesterday were to W. McMoran, dwelling on Camosun street, to cost $1,900; to F. & J. Eilers, dwelling on Prior street, $1,950; to S. Graham, dwelling on Lee street, $1,440; to George G. Ross, dwelling on Pembroke street, $800; to Burt D. White, garage on Davie street, $250; to Thomas Cooper, dwelling on Superior street, $2,500; to W. N. Mitchell, dwelling on Washington street, $2,500; to Hon. Mr. Justice Martin, dwelling on Belmont avenue, $3,200; to Mrs. Bessie M. Tait, dwelling on Graham street, $2,800; to James Morgan, dwelling on Cook street, $3,800.

B. C.'S GOOD WISHES SENT TO EARL GREY

Premier McBride Telegraphs Graceful Message and Retiring Governor Responds

Telegraphic courtesies were exchanged yesterday by Premier McBride of this province and Earl Grey. His Majesty's representative in Canada, on the occasion of the latter's retirement from the high office which he has held so gracefully and satisfactorily to all Canadians. The Premier's message follows:

Victoria, Oct. 9.

His Excellency the Early Grey,
Governor-General of Canada.

On behalf of the people of British Columbia I desire respectfully to offer to your Excellency, Lady Grey and the family on the eve of your departure from Canada, heartiest wishes for a safe journey to the Motherland. British Columbia will ever remember with gratitude the keen interest you have taken in this part of the Dominion, and trusts that every measure of happiness may attend you in the future.

(Sigd.) RICHARD M'BRIDE.

Earl Grey responded to the above as follows:

Quebec, Oct. 11.

Hon. Richard McBride, Victoria.

Am much touched by your kind message; as you know your beautiful province has a warm place in my heart.

(Sgd.) GREY.

WANT EQUALITY IN TELEGRAPH RATES

Board of Trade Asks for Day Letter Telegrams for This Province

Complaining that the telegraphic rates in force in Victoria and British Columbia are higher than those in force in Eastern Canada, the committee of the Board of Trade on public works and railways handed in a report to the council of the board of trade yesterday, on which action is to be taken by the council.

Telegraph companies will receive communications from the Board of Trade urging that reductions for British Columbia be made to bring the rates in line with those charged in the East. There are other matters asked for also.

The committee calls the attention of the board to the fact that day letter telegrams are part of the business of United States telegraph offices, but are not in operation here, although branch offices of the companies are established here. The C. P. R. and the Great Northwestern companies are to be requested to provide the day letter telegram system and to revise tariffs in the same proportions as those of the Eastern provinces.

A recent complaint against inefficient service made by the Board of Trade was met by the reply that the business of the companies has grown so rapidly in Victoria that it had got ahead of the arrangements provided for handling it. The members of the public works committee of the Board of Trade, bearing the reply in mind, point to it in their report as proof of really increased business which should afford the company to make the required reductions.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 12.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains high over Northern British Columbia, and fair, cool weather, with fog, prevails over Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland, while on the Coast moderate winds are general. The weather remains fine and mild in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, mostly northerly and easterly, generally fair with fog, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy with fog, not much change in temperature.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.97; temperature, 48; minimum, 42; wind, 6 miles N.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, cloudy, foggy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 38; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 56; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, part cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 32; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, cloudy, foggy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 8 miles S.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Wednesday:

Temperature.	
Highest	54
Lowest	38
Average	46

General state of weather, foggy.

STRANDED ROW BOAT POINTS TO TRAGEDY

Disappearance of Three Young Men From Thetis Island Believed to Be Accounted for

Since the fall fair at Duncan until yesterday nothing had been heard of Charles Heneage and Messrs. Lambert and Harvey, three young men engaged in ranching at Thetis Island, who left Thetis Island to attend the fair, and who, after leaving on the return journey in an open boat, have not been seen. Yesterday Rev. T. R. Heneage received a message from Provincial Constable Halhead, of Duncan, that the boat had been found at Burgoyne Bay, Salt Spring Island, upturned on the beach.

The boat is believed to be that in which the three young men set out on their return journey from Duncan fair, and the non-appearance of the missing men leads to the conclusion that the boat was swamped and that the three were drowned.

Charles Heneage is a cousin of Rev. T. R. Heneage, of Victoria, and was engaged in ranching with Capt. Rothwell. Mr. Lambert was at the ranch of Mr. Nixon and Mr. Harvey with Mr. Burchell at Thetis Island.

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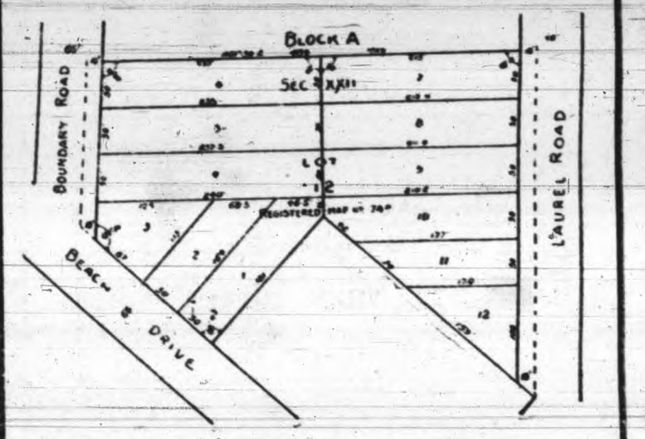
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CLARKE ACQUITTED.

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—Frederick V. Clarke was honorably acquitted by the Assize jury Tuesday evening of the charge of forgery in connection with a post office money order sent to C. S. Wormwald from Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Clarke answered all the questions of his counsel, S. S. Taylor, K. C., and of the crown prosecutor with apparent candor and truthfulness, and his demeanor in the box was the subject of favorable comment from the bench. The crown put in the evidence of two experts earlier in the day in an endeavor to prove that the handwriting of the accused was the same as that of the man who forged the signature to the money order receipts. Mr. Taylor hotly cross-examined these witnesses and showed how easy it was to detect similarities in the writing of any two individuals.

PRISON FOR LIFE.

Nanaimo, Oct. 12.—Sherman Wagar, aged 47, was sentenced here yesterday to life imprisonment for assault.

MOTHER SUPERIOR DIES.

Toronto, Oct. 12.—Rev. Mother Victorine Harris, chief superior of the Institute of the Blessed Virgin in America, died here yesterday at Loretto Abbey

EVERETT CANDIDATES.

Everett, Wash., Oct. 12.—Rev. R. B. Hassell, formerly pastor of the Congregational church, won the Republican nomination for mayor at yesterday's primaries. Mrs. C. E. Russell, who received the Democratic nomination, will be his opponent at the coming regular election.

MYSTERIOUS EXPLOSION.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 12.—An unoccupied cottage at 1304 13th avenue South, was wrecked by an explosion shortly before midnight and the ruins burned. The house was rented a month ago by a mysterious man who came home late at night and whose name is not known.

BREAKFAST TAFT.

Seattle, Oct. 11.—President Taft was the guest of Congressman Humphries at a breakfast at the Washington annex yesterday, when several prominent residents of this city met the chief executive of the United States.

A drill for boring holes in brick and mortar that a Pennsylvanian has invented consists of a long pointed rod on which slides a dumb-bell-shaped hammer which forces the drill forward as it is pounded against its head

PLAN COMMISSION FOR WORLD WELFARE

Ecumenical Conference Will Consider Important Resolution—Social Service

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 12.—The discussion on "The Church and Social Service" was continued last evening at the Ecumenical conference, and right well did the giants of the Methodist convention grapple with the problem of church work in cities and settlement work. The addresses were by specialists such as Rev. D. M. North, New York; Rev. Dr. Eckman, Rev. E. E. Walters, England; Rev. Dr. Lidgett, Rev. Dr. Robert Forbes, Philadelphia, and Mrs. Lucy Ryder Meyer. Rev. Dr. North entered a plea for aggressiveness in evangelizing the cities as they were centres of great power which needed transforming into spiritual power.

Rev. Mr. Walter quoted a Canadian journalist sitting in the British House as saying that the thing that most impressed him was the helpless, hopeless struggling masses in the great cities. He knew that there were multitudes there to which home life was impossible. They were "damned from their birth." The Church should minister to them in comradeship and not in a patronizing way. Despite all he had seen, he was still an idealist and concurred in what the late Hugh Price Hughes had said to him concerning Piccadilly Circus: "I expect to see the good there yet."

Rev. Dr. Bickerton, of Philadelphia, said that 25 per cent. of the foreign immigration in the United States settled in the coast states. He thought candidates for the ministry should learn to speak Italian, Slavic, Polish and other tongues. Philadelphia alone had 120,000 Italians in it and New York over 300,000. Over 400,000 Slavs were coming in each year. Dr. Bickerton was opposed to selling church property in down-town areas.

Rev. Mr. White (colored) pleaded for the negro, of which race the eastern cities contained about 100,000. "They are more than we can handle and we want your support," he said.

Rev. Dr. Lidgett is at the head of a large "settlement" in London, England. The purpose of the movement at bottom, he said, is for good citizenship. It aims to give, through the medium of friendship, an impulse to progress in those who have been sinking down. The people thus reached are brought gradually into touch with all that is best in civilization of art, science, literature and religion.

During the discussion a novel proposal was made in the form of a resolution offered by the business committee, calling for the creation of what would be practically a world's welfare commission.

Action on the matter was deferred, but the expectation is that before the close of the conference there will be created a permanent international Methodist commission, composed of fifty delegates from the eastern division and an equal number from the western division to gather information respecting the various Methodist churches and their problems, to promote closer union between them, to continue the Ecumenical relations of the various branches of Methodism that the results of conferences may be conserved, and to forward great moral causes, including the promotion of international peace.

Sir Robert Perks, of London, said of the plan: "Had such an alliance existed in the past war might have been prevented in one or two instances. The influence for good of our thirty-three millions of Methodists, thus united, is beyond computation. It would be the greatest world power."

ACTUAL STARVATION

Facts About Indigestion and Its Relief That Should Interest You

Although Indigestion and Dyspepsia are so prevalent, most people do not thoroughly understand their cause and cure. There is no reason why most people should not eat anything they desire — if they will only chew it carefully and thoroughly. Many actually starve themselves into sickness through fear of eating every good-looking, good-smelling, and good-tasting food, because it does not agree with them.

The best thing to do is to fit yourself to digest any good food.

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We want every one troubled with Indigestion or Dyspepsia in any form to come to our store and buy a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. Take them home and give them a reasonable trial, according to directions. Then, if not satisfied, come to us and get your money back. They are very pleasant to take; they aid to soothe the irritable stomach, to strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, and to promote a healthy and natural bowel action, thus leading to perfect and healthy digestion and assimilation.

A 25c. package of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets furnishes 15 days' treatment. In ordinary cases, this is sufficient to produce a cure. In more chronic cases, a longer treatment, of course, is necessary, and depends upon the severity of the trouble. For such cases, we have two larger sizes which sell for 50c. and $1.00. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store, D. E. Campbell, druggist, corner Fort and Douglas Streets.

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THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE



I would not live always, I ask not to stay, where storm after storm gathers dark on the way, but while I remain on this sublunary globe, there is one thing I'd like to have, and that is a Home. My idea of a home is, first, walls, walling me and mine in, and the world out. There should be large air spaces between my walls and the next. Living in a city flat, like a bee or a jail-bird in a cell, can never mean home to English blood. I want room, so I can go out in my own back yard and yell, and not attract attention, nor the police. There are other essentials; a fire-place—no lares and penates will roost on a radiator, and there's no love and inspiration breathes out of a grilled hole in the floor—I want to see wood burn; I want trees, big, scaly ones, planted before I was born and to flourish after I'm gone, yet toward which I can indulge in the fool satisfaction of owning them; a hound pup to wag its tail at me and look at me with worship; a cat to sit by the fire and look comfortable; and, when spring comes, hyacinths in the garden and fuzzy little peeping chickens around the door-step, kittens doing somersaults; a whole ham cooked at once; a table full of my kind of folks to eat and drink with; babies; young folks sparking and sparkable; a neighbor with whom I can sit on his back porch and smoke and find fault with the universe; an enormous bath room; slippers; no end of clean white things, such as towels, napkins and table cloths; no wall paper, only books everywhere from floor to ceiling; a den where I can be alone; and lastly, to travel, often enough to appreciate my own harbor.

CORPORATIONS' TAX.

Montreal, Oct. 12.—At a meeting of the board of trade council yesterday afternoon a draft petition was presented praying the provincial government to substantially reduce the tax on commercial corporations. This was approved for presentation when a deputation of the council will join the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in urging a reduction of the tax. The council renewed considerations of the questions of how trade between Canada and the West Indies and Cuba might be increased, and it was thought that the first step should be to secure a reduction in postage and cable rates. The latter was referred to a committee.

MEMBER IS ILL.

Montreal, Oct. 12.—D. A. Lafortune, K.C., crown prosecutor for the district of Montreal, and representative of the county of Montcalm in the House of Commons, was yesterday afternoon moved to Victoria hospital from his residence at St. Laurent. Mr. Lafortune contracted a cold during the recent campaign which later developed into acute pneumonia.

MADERO'S CABINET.

Mexico City, Oct. 12.—It was unofficially stated to-day that President-elect Madero had planned his cabinet as follows:

Foreign—President De La Barra, or Ignatio Fernandez Caldero. Interior—Jose Pineo Suarez. Finance—Ernesto Madero. Communications — Manuel Bonilla. War — General Genzales Salas. Fomento—Rafael Hernandez. Justice—Francisco Diaz Lombardo.

Salas is acting minister of war with the title of sub-secretary.

The departments of finance, communications and fomento are now headed by the nominees above. It is probable that Hernandez will decline to enter the cabinet and De La Barra is reluctant to accept a post. Caldero was the candidate of the Liberals in the Progressives' convention for the nomination for the vice-presidency against Pineo Suarez.

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UNITED WIRELESS SUITS.

Trustee in Bankruptcy Files Complaints in Seattle.

Seattle, Oct. 12.—George H. Parker obtained $1,300,000 from the sale of stocks in the United Wireless Telegraph Company, and appropriated the money to his own use, according to a supplemental complaint filed in the King county superior court yesterday by Seldon Bacon of New York, federal trustee in bankruptcy of the wireless company.

This money, the complaint states, was obtained between July, 1907, and March, 1911. During the same period approximately $4,000,000 was collected from stock sales by the selling forces. Of this amount $900,000 reached the company, the remainder being divided among Parker, Christopher C. Wilson and other high officials of the company. Parker is now serving a five-year sentence in the federal prison on McNeil's Island, Wash., for using the mails to defraud.

Parker did not dissipate his share of the proceeds, but invested in Seattle real estate and mortgages. The trustee has found between $600,000 and $700,000 worth of such property belonging to Parker, and has tied it up by an injunction pending the hearing of the suit for an accounting and the turning over of the property to the trustee in bankruptcy.

GIRLS STRIKE AND WIN.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 12.—All telephone operators struck Tuesday at Baker, Ore., when their demand for reinstatement of one of the discharged operators was refused and another demand for increased wages was ignored.

Within 20 minutes, the chief operator, succeeded by promises in bringing the girls back to the switchboards and they gained their points, receiving the required increase of pay and securing the reinstatement of the discharged girl. A third demand, that of the removal of the chief operator, was withdrawn by the girls after their other demands were granted. The strike lasted exactly 20 minutes.

KILLED FOR PERSISTENCE.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 12. — After vainly trying to persuade him to cease following, J. A. Harrison, a street car conductor, at an early hour yesterday, shot and killed William A. Buckall, of whom little is known. According to Harrison's story, Buckall accosted him in a restaurant and tried to pick a quarrel and later followed him out on the street and from one lodging house to another, while the conductor was trying to obtain a room. Finally, so Harrison says, Buckall started to attack him and seemed about to draw a revolver, whereupon the conductor used his own weapon and killed his alleged assailant. Harrison gave himself up to the police.

HE SPURNED ASSISTANCE.

Los Angeles, Oct. 12.—With his right arm completely severed just below the shoulder, Coxswain Charles H. Townsend, of the United States torpedo boat destroyer Whipple, is having his injuries treated at a local hospital. Townsend fell under the wheels while attempting to board a switch engine. Spurning all offers of assistance, Townsend ran down the wharf a distance of about 100 yards to where the Whipple was docked, and staggered across the gangplank.

EXCHANGED SENTENCES.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 12.—That it is an easy matter for two men sentenced from New York to the same state prison to exchange sentences has been proved to the satisfaction of the state authorities. From information received from Clinton prison, at Dannemora, officials have learned that such an exchange was recently accomplished there. The two men, William Graber and Benjamin Frank, were sentenced on the same day, March 5, 1909, Graber for a term of one year and Frank for five years. When taken from the Tombs in New York the next day they exchanged names and terms and were so received in prison.

A HILL PREDICTION.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 12.—"There will be more idle men this winter than ever," predicted James J. Hill, yesterday in discussing the condition of business over the country and particularly in the west.

"Our capacity for production along industrial lines has grown faster than our consumption along the same lines," said Mr. Hill. "Business is sound but no new enterprises are being started. The politicians and newspapers are to blame. There is too much political ghost-dancing. The people are not given the facts."

HENRY BROADHURST DEAD.

London, Oct. 12.—Henry Broadhurst for many years a Liberal-Labor member of parliament and formerly secretary of the parliamentary committee of trade unions congress died yesterday, aged 71 years.

WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNAMENT.

Short Hill, N. J., Oct. 11.—The second round in the women's national championship golf yesterday left five Massachusetts players surviving. The other districts represented are New York, Philadelphia and Canada. Miss Dorothy Campbell, champion of 3 countries defeated Miss G. S. White of St. Louis.

BEES CAUSED PANIC.

Vancouver, Wash., Oct. 12.—J. A. Christian was taking home a hive of bees from the fair grounds on a street car. The bees were in a glass "observatory" hive, but it tipped over. One of the panes were broken and in a few minutes the car was filled with angry insects. Panic-stricken passengers yelled to the conductor to stop and then jumped off. The conductor did not have time to ring the bell before following suit. The motorman opened the door to see what was the matter. He found out and promptly stepped out without stopping to close the door. The car was out of commission until Christian walked back to the fair grounds and obtained a "smoker" and drove the bees back into the hive.

FRUIT PROSECUTIONS.

Chilliwack, Oct. 11.—At the New Westminster police court Banford Bros., fruit growers of Chilliwack, pleaded guilty to, and were fined $10 and costs, for having offered for sale in New Westminster city market, six boxes of apples, the shown surface of which was not a fair representation of the contents of the boxes, and also pleaded guilty to charges of insufficient markings and overgrading their fruit.

Copies of the Fruit Marks Act for the guidance of fruit growers in packing their fruit can be had on application to D. M. Robertson, Dominion fruit inspector, 237 Sixth street, New Westminster, B. C.

RUMORED SURRENDER.

Elko, Oct. 11.—It is reported here today that yesterday at Fernie the meeting of miners decided to accept the terms of the operators for a 6 per cent. increase, without recognition or anything else asked for, which is an almost complete surrender of the union. Stubbs and Reese were appointed to attend the convention of miners at Lethbridge to-morrow, and it is expected that the delegates will decide to return to work at once.

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INCREASING COST OF FOOD.

The modernly gradual but recently rapid increase in the cost of living is developing into a problem which affects alike the statesman and the mendicant. It is becoming the problem of all classes and in every country. The food riots in Europe which began in Lyons and extended throughout France have spread through Portugal and then eastward until the whole continent is in a state of revolt and overt acts have been characteristic of the common people in every nation. With almost equal stress has the pinch been felt in America and Canada, and if the people have not yet risen in revolt in the same manner as in the older nations there is no less a portentous significance in the complaints which are being uttered on every hand. Courts and legislative halls are being besieged with demands for relief from the oppressing conditions. The press of every nation is being interrogated to give a reason for the conditions which prevail, and one of the most instructive features of the world-wide situation is the commonly expressed conviction that the underlying cause of all the trouble is the protective tariffs on foodstuffs. Statesmen and scientists agree that the onus for the uncomfortable—if not unbearable—situation can be traced to the outworking and logical effect of the theory of high tariffs, especially on articles of food consumption. The necessities of the case have driven men in high places to collate facts and figures and to make comparisons between the protected countries and those having less restricted trade, and the consensus of deduction from these figures leaves no room for any other conclusion than that the root of all the trouble lies in the fact that the protected countries—with the tariffs—make possible the control of the food prices by those who unscrupulously rob the poor for their own enrichment. The political systems of protection have built up the commercial systems which make this levy of unbearable toll possible.

One of the most rational and dispassioned discussions of the world-wide conditions appears in Lloyd's Weekly News, a paper which it will be admitted is not swayed by partizan political considerations in its deductions. This paper says:

"For ourselves, we have no cast-iron theory. We take a non-party view of these changes, for, on all questions relating to the price of the people's food, we hold that it should be approached without bias and in a scientific and practical, businesslike fashion.

"Some aspects of the present situation are very clear. The first is obvious. The rise is general. In countries where food is normally dear it is dearer, and in some cases so dear as to constitute a grave source of danger to the public peace. Another feature is that the rise in the price of food began in countries where food is supposed to be guarded and protected by high tariffs. The social disadvantages of dear food are being felt most acutely in these countries. Then, prices have gone up notwithstanding that the area of wheat under cultivation is increasing every year. The prevailing boom in general commerce and trade throughout the world, instead of leading, as one would suppose it would, to a cheapening of things, the reverse is the fact. The money rate is steadier, and, but for the black cloud on the European horizon, the rates of interest would allow a margin for making good business all over the world. What, then, is it that is at work in the commercial or economic world making for high prices?

"Some of the causes are, it is true, transient. The price of butter and eggs and vegetables is accounted for, so far as this country is concerned, by the glorious summer that we have just experienced. Had we known at the beginning that one result of the dry summer would have been a shortage of milk, and consequent rise in the price of butter, perhaps our criticism of the tropical conditions into which we were cast so suddenly would have been greatly modified. At any rate, the fact is that while seaside towns and railway companies and others have profited by the extra degree of sunshine that has shone upon this island, the general consumer has to pay for the privilege in dearer food. That is one cause.

"Another is undoubtedly the pernicious results of high tariff policies throughout the world, and the shrinkage of the wheat export in the United States. The curse of protectionist tariff rates is that the world in general, as well as the countries that adopt them, is severely hit by them. One country cannot produce all that it requires, and when it has to go to another for the surplus needed, and both countries are at war with each other in the form of protection, it is not to be wondered at that prices should rise when the general trade of the world is favorable to gambling and making artificial deals in the common food of the people. That is what has happened, and what will happen again and again until we obtain a clearer vision of the solidarity of the world's interests from an economic standpoint."

We have seen also in another exchange an evidence of the evil effects of protection in foodstuffs which seems to leave no doubt that the fixing of the blame upon the protective systems has nailed the argument down conclusively. The cost of foodstuffs in Great Britain has risen in common—though not so much in common—with other countries. Here the most appreciable rise has been in those articles of food produced in the United Kingdom; the foodstuffs imported into Great Britain have not risen commensurately with those imported into high tariff countries. Had the common foods imported into England been taxed under a tariff the cost of living would have risen so high in the United Kingdom that living would have been impossible for the working classes and starvation would be rampant in the land.

Such facts as these are tremendously significant. The United States has learned the lesson of folly in the matter of protection upon foodstuffs, and there is a generally accepted belief that the next election will see the end of this feature of their protective system. As far as Canada is concerned, the remark of the St. Paul Pioneer Press is suggestive. It says that while the United States has learned its lesson Canada has still to suffer the throes of want that must afflict her common people before the nation will rise in revolt against the iniquitous system now recognizedly the curse of every protected country. We are of opinion that it will not be long before Canada will begin her lesson, and we are encouraged by the hope that—apt as she is to learn— it will not take long to master at least the alphabet.

PORTFOLIO OF MINES.

The appointment of Mr. Rodolphe Forget to the portfolio of mines, which will probably take place in the near future, will hardly be accepted as reassuring to the mining men of Canada. But as the portfolio of mines is the only one in the cabinet which has been left unfilled, and as Mr. Forget only temporarily delayed the acceptance of a ministership until the new government deals with an application for a charter in which he is interested, it is not unlikely that the mining portfolio has been reserved for him. The Canadian Mining Journal, which is just at hand, has expressed the opinion of mining men most vigorously on the subject of the holder of the portfolio. It takes this ground:

"As Canadians we cannot but follow the whole trend of Canada's growth. As mining men we are particularly concerned with the new government's policy in regard to the mining industry. The first and, in itself, the one step that will determine the success or failure of the government's mining policy will be the selection of a competent, enlightened, and vigorous Minister of Mines. Naturally this must be a totally independent cabinet position, and the jurisdiction of the Minister must be complete. It must include the function now anomolously assigned to the Department of the Interior, namely, the administration of mining lands in Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Yukon Territory. Any Minister selected will prove an encumbrance unless he surrounds himself with experienced advisers and keeps constantly in touch with the industry. Therefore it is imperatively necessary that the Minister, unless he is to be a figurehead, be forearmed with a knowledge of what mining means in Canada. In other words, he must have had occasion to study conditions at first hand."

How very far short of these qualifications Mr. Forget must fall will be apparent to anyone who knows anything about his business training. We must, however, accept the statement of the Vancouver News-Advertiser which says, in adverting upon the timber of the cabinet, that Hon. Mr. Borden has done the best he could with the material at his disposal.

The Toronto News has grown so Imperialistic under its new tutelage that it wants Canada to abandon the observance of May 24 as a national holiday. As May 24 is observed throughout Canada as Victoria Day and in the rest of the Empire as Empire Day the suggestion is a debacle.

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William Jennings Bryan is reported to have succeeded in raising onions at last. For many years he has been eminently successful in raising lemons.

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The flag wavers have now removed the scene of their activities to the United Kingdom in view of the approaching vote on Home Rule. According to the London Daily Grahpic, those who do not vote the Tory ticket will wreck the Empire. It is a great pity our British confreres could not have some sort of annexation scare to help things along.

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The French aviator, Garros, has succeeded in breaking the altitude record for aeroplanes with a distance of 13,845 feet, but this is not the altitude record for man, as it has been exceeded by a number of balloonists, most notably by Burson and Suring, in 1901, who penetrated the ether vertically to a distance of more than 34,500 feet, although both men lost consciousness.

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It is to be hoped that such anti-progressives as Mr. J. W. Flavelle and Z. A. Lash, K.C., are not going to be as busy and influential in the life of the Borden government as they have been in its formation. . . . These interests must inevitably sterilize the life of any government that does not get closer to the hearts and needs of the people than the advice of Mr. Flavelle and Z. A. Lash, K.C., will ever bring R. L. Borden.—Toronto Telegram.

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While the subject of forest conservation is so largely interesting the public at the present time some recent remarks of Mr. J. B. White, who is secretary of the National Conservation Congress of the United States, will be read with attention. Mr. White had just completed a tour of the Eastern States and on his return to San Francisco in discussing the conservation idea he said: "A superior quarity of artificial lumber can be manufactured cheaper than natural lumber can be grown; taking 57 per cent. waste paper, 22 per cent. straw, 5 per cent. jute and 16 per cent. wood fibre, a ton of fibre board, one-quarter inch thick, or 1,100 feet of inch lumber can be produced." While we cannot regard this as affording any excuse for the neglect of timber conservation, it is worth knowing that a reliable substitute for lumber may be so chgaply manufactured. How large an industry may be built up in the near future for the supply of building material it is not easy to predict. At any rate it is comforting to know that future generations will not be required to go houseless as long as there are roots, stumps, jute and straw left for material transformation.

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In its forecast of the probable personnel of the Borden cabinet the Montreal Herald has a short sketch of each of the, then, prospective ministers. Since the date of its biographical cryptograms Mr. W. T. White has become minister of finance, the most important position in the ministry. Of this new finance minister the Herald says: "There is talk of W. T. White, of Toronto, for finance minister. Mr. White is on the right side of fifty. He is a quick moving, deep thinking person, big and handsome as to person. When he was through college he started in, under the wing of John Ross Robertson, to help R. J. Fleming fix up the assessment of Toronto. When the Laurier government came in he was discovered by Hon. George A. Cox, and had a good deal to do with the flotation of Dominion Steel. His ability made him friends among the wealthy and he became manager of the National Trust Company. When the Liberal side of the financial group with whom he worked slumped over to the side which is directed by that very able person, Mr. J. W. Flavelle, Mr. White was big enough in his own right not to be lumped with the "and others." He made some good speeches in the effort of justifying his friends. He has been a favorite of fortune. Much stranger things have happened than that he should slip into the cabinet." The Times yesterday referred to the influence of J. W. Flavelle in the making up of the train of ministers in the Borden administration. Mr. W. T. White is a close friend of Mr. Flavelle.



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Don't make a mistake, this lot is not a line that has been reduced, but a special shipment that we secured at a big price concession, and when we say that they are worth $18 we consider that we are making a very conservative estimate. This is a fine chance for young men. The suits are smart and right up to date in cut and style, are splendidly tailored, and come in heavy tweeds, in browns and grey mixtures, also Bannockburn mixtures, in all the newest patterns. You make a distinct saving on your suit if you purchase on Friday. Let us show them to you—the goods will recommend themselves. Notice the price $15.00

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This is a special clearance sale of Taffetas, Tamaline and Tartan Silks, worth up to 75c a yard, and come in a great variety of colors, all the newest of the season. This should be a great inducement to the home dressmaker and milliner. Special, per yard .....25¢

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—Hon. Secretary Thos. W. Palmer, of the S. P. C. A., reports that arrangements are being made to hold lectures on the "Sagacity of Animals," again this winter.

—While the apparatus consisting of swings, horizontal bars, etc., are on the grounds of the Beacon Hill park no funds are available to place the apparatus in working order. The city will receive a report pertaining to the cost of erecting them in a few days.

LOCAL NEWS

—Do not forget that you can get an express or truck at any hour you may wish. Always keep your checks until you have seen us, as we will save you the 10c. on each trunk you have to pay to baggage agents on trains and boats. We will check your baggage from your hotel or residence, also store it. See us before you make your arrangements. We guarantee to satisfy everyone on price and the way we handle your goods. We consider it a favor if you will report any overcharges or incivility on the part of our help.
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—The following is the team that will represent Victoria college and High school against University school at the latter's grounds on Friday afternoon: Forwards, Ross, Yeo, Woods, Sivertz and Harrison; half backs, Hanington, Dowler and Hamilton; full backs, Stevens and Hope; goal, Fort.

—The Ladies' Hockey Club will hold their first practise of the season at the Oak Bay Park on Saturday, October 14, at 1.30 p.m. All old members are requested to be in attendance, and the club will be pleased to welcome a number of new members. It is hoped that this will be a very successful season for the Ladies' Hockey Club.

—On Monday the Emmanuel Baptist Young People entertained the Tabernacle Young People in an enjoyable social evening. There was a splendid attendance and the evening was pleasantly spent in contests, songs and recitations. Impromptu speeches were given by Tabernacle friends, songs by the Parfitt friends, recitations by Miss Belle Eilers and a harp selection by Mr. Jones. Refreshments were served at the close.

—Constable Farrant was severely injured about the face, hands and back in his effort to stop a runaway horse that came tearing down Yates street past the constable's point of duty. The constable tried to check the frightened animal's wild career and jumped for the bridle but was pushed aside by the horse and struck by the rear wheels of the carriage. The horse continued upon its way across the causeway and was captured at James Bay.

—The committee for the annual ball to be held by the Native Sons November 17 at Alexandra Club, has been selected as follows: Reception committee: Chief Factor and Past Chief Factor, Hon. Richard McBride, K.C., and Mr. G. H. Barnard; ball committee, P. J. Hall, first vice-factor; H. G. Dalby, second vice-factor; Arthur E. Haynes, J. T. Fox, Joseph Wilson, William C. Moresby, James Fletcher, J. S. Yates, W. H. Langley, George N. Gowen, T. A. Kerr, F. Walker, J. A. McTavish, Reginald Hayward, L. Camsusa, E. P. Johnson, H. Brown, John Langley, A. J. Sommers, Charles King, E. E. Wootten, F. N. J. White, Dr. J. D. Helmcken and Sidney Childe; music, A. E. Haynes, J. A. McTavish; floor committee, H. G. Dalby, W. H. Langley, H. Brown, J. S. Yates and W. C. Moresby; refreshment committee, Reginald Hayward, L. Camsusa, E. P. Johnson; secretary, Reginald Hayward; treasurer, H. G. Dalby. It has been decided that a buffet supper will be served from 9 o'clock to 3 a. m.

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Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily at 2.15 p. m., except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 6.45 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Victoria at 11.45 p. m. daily, arriving Vancouver at 7 a. m.

Prince George leaves Victoria on Thursdays at 10 a. m., and Prince Rupert on Mondays at 10 a. m.

Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2.30 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving Victoria at 6 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.

Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 5 p. m., arriving Seattle at 10 p. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria 1.15 p. m. On the lay-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

Prince George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and the Prince Rupert on Sundays at 10 a. m. Returning, leave Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at midnight.

Vancouver-Seattle.

Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11 p. m., arriving Seattle 8 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 11.30 p. m., arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

WINNIPEG COUNCIL WAXES VERY WROTH

Hears That J. W. Astley Has Been Looking for Another Position

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 12.—A number of marked copies of the Victoria Daily Times were passed around among the mayor and members of the council last evening, pointing out the proceedings before the city council there which gave prominence to the appointment of a construction engineer for that city.

The name of J. W. Astley, engineer of construction in Winnipeg, was mentioned. It was the subject of much informal discussion, for Mr. Astley left Winnipeg two weeks ago to go west and the council was unaware that he had made an application for a new position.

Last spring he was given an increase in salary of $1,500 to induce him to stay in Winnipeg rather than go to Victoria, where he had been offered a position. He went to Victoria, and Mayor Morley asked the council there to appoint Astley as engineer of construction for that city.

The members of the Winnipeg council are very angry over the affair, and it is hinted that there may be some developments in the near future.

—Yesterday afternoon between 2 and 4 one fisherman reported a catch of salmon. The run has been exceptionally good the past few days and the fishermen are taking advantage of it, despite the disagreeable fogs. The cohoe and spring salmon are those being caught.

—Mr. Barnard, M.P.-elect, has retired from the legal firm of Messrs. Barnard, Robertson & Heisterman in order to devote himself to his future parliamentary duties. The legal business will be continued by his former partners.

—A meeting for the purpose of forming a society for the general discussion of subjects of interest to religious, social and scientific bodies will be held by the Unitarians at 8 o'clock this evening at their hall 1230 Government street.

—G. H. Barnard, member-elect for this constituency, will be tendered a smoker and concert by his friends and co-workers. The affair will be under the auspices of the Victoria Conservative Association, and will be held at the A. O. U. W. hall, Yates street, this evening.

—The Canadian Pacific railway has announced a big competition for members of its "First Aid to Injured" classes. The C. P. R. is the foremost railroad in America in teaching its employees the "first aid." Every man in the company holding a certificate is to be entered in the contest, which takes the form of a team class, five men to each team. First of all examinations are to be held to determine the champion of the lines east and west of Fort William and Port Arthur, and finally these latter two teams are to compete to decide the champion teams of the C. P. R. system. A silver cup and medals will be given the winning teams by the various superintendents.

BISHOP PERRIN SAYS FAREWELL

TOUCHING SCENES MARK HIS DEPARTURE

Reception at Alexandra Club—Presentation of Album and Illuminated Address

At the farewell reception to Bishop Perrin, of Columbia diocese, last night, occasion was taken to present to him an illuminated address, and album containing views of churches in the diocese and a list of the subscribers from the diocesan synod, and members of the Anglican communion.

The Alexandra Club ballroom was thronged during the two hours the reception occupied, among the company being Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Paterson, the clergy and ministers of the various denominations, including Bishop Macdonald, Rev. Dr. Campbell, Rev. T. E. Holling, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, Rev. T. W. Gladstone, and Rev. J. B. Warnicker, and the federal member for the city, G. H. Barnard, M. P.-elect.

To Archdeacon Scriven fell the honor of presenting the address, and he remarked, in doing so, that they must all feel they were rather bidding good bye to a friend than a Bishop. He had been a real friend to most of them. The text was then read by Rev. J. H. S. Sweet.

In responding, the Bishop thanked the Archdeacon for the kindly words he had used with reference to the coming departure. It was difficult to realize that he was going away. He knew what was in their hearts, and could only say his residence of 18 years in British Columbia had been very happy years. British Columbia would always remain as a pleasant recollection to him as his home for so many years.

He referred humorously to the condition of Bishopsclose, the episcopal residence, and wondered what his successor would think about it. It would arouse the surprise of anyone to see the conditions which had prevailed in the episcopal residence during the period of his stay. From knowing no one when he came here, and its accompanying feeling of sadness, he had been able to realise he had many friends, and all the kindnesses he had received made him thankful, and grateful that he had been able to do something in the way of influencing the people around him.

He was grateful for the promise of their prayers conveyed in the address, and was sure his new burdens as Bishop of Willesden would be lightened by the knowledge that he had their sympathy and prayers.

During the evening refreshments were served, and the Bishop said farewell to his friends. The National Anthem brought proceedings to a close. Among the letters of apology received was one from Bishop Cridge, the venerable head of the Reformed Episcopal Church, who wished the Bishop God Speed in his journey.

The illuminated address is a beautiful piece of work from the brush of Charles Budden, and bears in the upper left hand corner the diocese and the Bishop, and below a pastoral staff. On the right is a picture of a mediaeval galleon, signifying the ship of the church gliding into harbor. The text is as follows:

"To the Right Rev. William Willcox, Lord Bishop of Columbia.

"We, the clergy and laity of the diocese of British Columbia, take this opportunity to take an affectionate farewell of your lordship on the eve of your departure to take up the important work in London to which you have been recently appointed. Our feeling on this occasion are of a mixed nature. We congratulate your lordship on your appointment as Bishop of Willesden, and are fully conscious of the honor thus incidentally bestowed upon this diocese, nevertheless it is with a feeling of regret and sorrow that we learn that we are to be deprived of your loving care and wise and judicious oversight of the work in this portion of the Lord's vineyard.

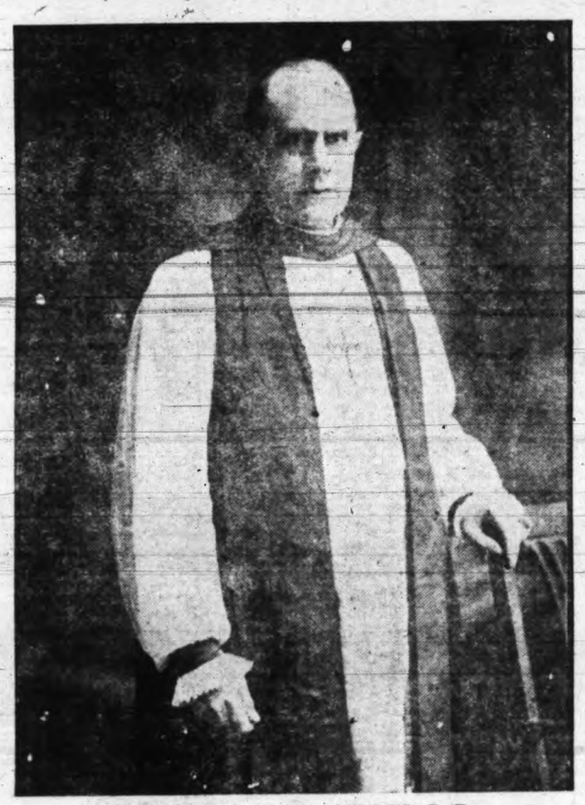
"During the 18 years we have had the privilege of your hopeful enthusiasm and practical insight into all that makes the best interests of the church in this diocese. Your genial and kindly disposition, your unfailing energy and wisdom of administration have been largely instrumental in placing this diocese in the satisfactory position in which it stands at present.

"Your advocacy of all that tends to promote the work of God, your loving unselfishness and singleness of mind in devotion to the cause of Christ will be cherished in our memories with the deepest reverence. We acknowledge with gratitude that you have done much to inculcate the principles of reverence and devotion in the worship of Almighty God, and much also to deepen the spiritual life of the clergy and laity in the diocese.

"We close with a very sincere expression of our affectionate regard and esteem and with the promise that our prayers shall follow you in the important work to which as we do not doubt, you have been called by God."

The address was signed by Dean Doull, Archdeacon Scriven, Lindley Crease, chancellor; J. H. S. Sweet, clerical secretary; Percy Wollaston, treasurer; and F. W. Blankenbach, lay secretary.

The ballroom had been very tastefully decorated, and an orchestra played selections during the evening.



RIGHT REV. W. W. PERRIN, D. D.

Bishop-designate of Willesden, London, who was last evening presented with an address on the closing of over eighteen years of service as Bishop of British Columbia.

—George Bury has been appointed vice-president and general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's western lines, succeeding Vice-President Sir William Whyte, who, after many years of intelligent and unremitting attention to the company's affairs in western Canada, has retired from active service.

—At a meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of First Congregational church, held yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Boorman's, Fisguard street, it was decided to hold the anniversary social of the church in the schoolroom on Tuesday evening, 17th inst, and the annual bazaar on Wednesday afternoon and evening, 29th November. Friends are asked to bear these dates in mind.

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Madame Eames Never Reads Reviews of Work—M. De Gogorza Does

Victoria is assured of a musical treat to-morrow evening when the first concert under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Society will open with the recital of Madame Eames and M. de Gogorza at the Alexandra Club.

Madame Eames and her gifted husband received representatives of the Musical Society and the press yesterday afternoon in their rooms at the Empress hotel, and a pleasant hour was spent in an informal discussion of the profession in which they had played no insignificant part, and of their experiences during the past few years.

Madame Eames surprised her hearers most when she said from the days of her training in Paris she never read criticism of any kind, for said she: "I should gain nothing from them, and no one could be a more severe critic of my work than myself, and even if I am singing to two or three I always put out my best work, and when I am not living up to my ideal no one knows it better than myself."

Her husband took a different view. He observed that he always read everything, however obscure a paper it appeared in, and learnt something from it. "I like to know," he said, "what people think of me, and how they regard my work. I am absolutely indifferent to my audience once I am on the stage, and settled down to the work in hand; therefore I cannot devote any time to take the opinion of my audience on such occasions."

Madame Eames is fascinated with the Pacific Northwest, and said that since they commenced the present tour at Spokane, having come directly from Paris, her engagements had taken second place to the beauties seen in travelling, and she was thoroughly enjoying herself. M. de Gogorza was here three years ago, and remarked that there had taken place a wonderful change since then.

The concert platform is not without its adventures, and Madame Eames told a story of her adventures after the San Francisco earthquake, and how she fulfilled the command performance in London, where she sang before King Edward soon afterwards. Her relationship with the late Queen, before whom she frequently appeared at command performances was particularly intimate, and she treasures many little tributes of her Majesty's regard. She had heard with regret that the dear old Covent Garden opera house was threatened by the expansion of the markets, and that probably in a few years that historic house which had heard so many famous voices would resound with the shrill cries of vegetable vendors shouting their wares.

Madame Eames, who by the by was born in Shanghai of American parentage, having a very musical mother, from whom doubtless her talent has been inherited, had many interesting things to say about audiences. She said: "The American comes to the theatre determined to enjoy, and abounds with enthusiasm, while the Englishman is stolid and requires arousing. He is not hostile to the singer, but requires to be impressed. He values good work, though slower to show it than other races. The Frenchman is highly critical, while the German looks at a concert or grand opera in quite a different light. He is the least snobbish in regard to music, and has a mind wide open for every kind of music, and therefore is one of the most appreciative nationalities to play or sing before.

"In opera I find myself bound by the tenets of the part I am acting, and individuality must be lost.". She spoke in the kindest way of Gounod, with whom she was associated before going to London, as "Juliette." "I find," she said, "I can only sing what I like to sing, and what has a personal meaning for me, for I go deep into myself for inspiration, and work to be of the truest value must be above self. I endeavor to detach myself, and thereby give of my best to the work in hand."

M. de Gogorza, who was educated in France, and at Slough in England, is the very spirit of optimism in art, and his breezy attitude is a great contrast to many members of the profession. The distinguished baritone who studied in New York with Agramonte and Moderati, spoke with much pleasure of his colleagues and competitors in the musical arena, particularly of great violinists like Kreisler and Kubelik, and referred to the remarkable popularity of these artists in Paris. The Grand Opera house was for the first time available recently to a violinist in Paris, and it was filled to the doors.

They had been invited to tour Europe together in a grand opera by Wolff Ferrari, but preferred to see something more of this western country. From here they go on to Tacoma, Portland and San Francisco. Yesterday afternoon a visit was paid to the local Chinatown, curiosity prompting the visit, Madame Eames desiring once more to see Chinese children.

—The Victoria Men's First Adult School will hold its concert at Friends' hall, Courtney street, this evening, commencing at 8.15. Ald. Gleason will be in the chair.

—Six additional cars have been put on the Douglas street-Outer Wharf route of the B. C. Electric railway in order to relieve the growing congestion on that line. The company promises similar additions to other routes as the occasion demands.

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PURE NEW ZEALAND HONEY, 2-lb. tin....45¢
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2-lb. tin....75¢
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NEWS OF SPORT

ALL ATTENTION ON WORLD'S SERIES

NEW YORK SCENE OF FIRST GAME ON SATURDAY

Managers and Pitchers of the Giants and Athletics Occupy Spotlight

The attention of the entire baseball world is centred at the present time on the New York Giants and the Philadelphia Athletics, who meet in New York on Saturday in the first of the games for the world's championship.

Every man on each of the teams in coming in for a goodly share of the attention, but naturally the managers, Muggsy McGraw and Connie Mack, and the pitchers occupy the spot light.

With regard to the leaders a great deal of talk has been made about the extraordinary capabilities of Mack, helmsman of the Athletics—his wonderful influence over his men and ability to get the best there is out of them—but for all that McGraw, boss of the Giants undoubtedly stands head and shoulders above everybody and everything in the game at the present time.

A man who is regarded as one of the wisest club owners in the big leagues said a day or so ago:

"On paper the Athletics are far superior to the Giants. Still, the Athletics will go against the wisest manager in the game."

McGraw will win the championship of the National league with a team of mediocre players. He has two good pitchers, a fine first-sacker and a catcher who is above the average. Outside of that there is not much to the Giants.

Even with Marquard and Mathewson and Merkle, the Giants would not be higher that the second division without McGraw; for if it had not been for McGraw, Merkle would not be a star today, and if McGraw had not kept Marquard and defended him against criticisms of everybody having knowledge of National league matters Marquard would probably not have had a better record this year than in 1910.

Fight, fight and more fight, is the motto of McGraw. He has fought against all conceiveable odds and he is fighting all the time. He has created a team of fighting men, ever suggestive—a team built to play other clubs off their feet and "bully" their way through.

When the Giants and Athletics meet McGraw will be after Mack's men. There will be "bullying" galore. The Athletics will have to take more gaff than they have ever been asked to take. Baker and Thomas will be the subjects of most of the abuse and most of it will come from McGraw.

Although "Muggsy" says he will lay no plans for his battle until the series actually begins, McGraw has fully made up his mind what he intends to do.

McGraw has a tongue sharpened for repartee. In any sort of argument McGraw can sting home more sarcasm in one minute than the runner-up in that department of the game can get through in five.

Capt. Adrian C. Anson, the grand old man of baseball, leans a little toward his old love, the National League, in predicting the outcome of the struggle.

"I like the Giants a little bit better than I do the Athletics," said Anson, "but at that I would be willing to give odds of 10 to 8 to any one that wants to bet and let him take his choice. I'd make a Dutch book. With John McGraw on the job, directing the play of his team, the Athletics will not have any smooth sailing with the National Leaguers.

"Man for man, the average might favor the Athletics, perhaps, in that they are a little more balanced; but taken collectively, the Giants will have the shade, in my estimation. Every one knows that the Athletics are a grand ball team, and that Connie Mack is able to get the best there is out of them, but the Giants are hitting the ball and running the bases like fiends, and if Mathewson and Marquard are in their best form, which I believe they will be, the Athletics will not make as many runs at the right time as the Giants will."

The opinion of the veteran is held in high regard by baseball men all over the country. He is not prejudiced at all in his opinion at the present time because of his former connection with the National League, but he regards McGraw's ability to win games as second to none in the great pastime.

One of the chiefest questions which are agitating the fans is: "Who is going to be the pitching hero of the 1911 world's championship clash. Mathewson is the best bet but there is no telling.

Nearly every world's series has developed a twirling terror; some demon curve artist like Jack Coombs or "Babe" Adams, Ed Walsh and Bill Dineen, Matty or Mordecai Brown monopolizes the centre of the calcium.

Last year it was Jack Coombs, of the Athletics. He won three straight from the Chicago Cubs, National League pennant winners, and put Chance's men down for the count.

The year before it was "Babe" Adams, the "show-me kid" from Missouri. "Babe" was there with some flinging stuff that made the Detroit Tigers look like tame kittens.

"Babe" scored three consecutive victories over Jennings' jungle band, and landed the world's championship banner for Fred Clarke's crew of scullers from smoky Pittsburg.

In 1908 big Jeff Overall and Mordecai (Three-Fingered) Brown shared the twirling honors for Chicago, each winning two games from Detroit. Brown relieved Reulbach just in time to win the first game. Pfeister, a southpaw, lost the only battle of the series for Chicago, Mullen winning it for Detroit.

Manager Chance, of Chicago, played on favorites in the 1907 series with Detroit. Overall and Reulbach worked against Donovan in the first game; Pfeister beat Mullen in the second, Reulbach crimped Killian in the third, Overall spanked Donovan in the fourth, and Brown blanked Mullen in the final battle.

Spitball Ed. Walsh, of the Chicago White Sox, played a stellar engagement in the series of 1906. Nick Altrock started off like a lion, but Walsh had to do the heavy work at the finish. Comiskey's men beat the Cubs that year.

Back in 1905 Christopher (Big Six) Mathewson covered himself with glory. The Giants handed Cannie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics a tremendous walloping that year, winning four out of five games. Matty whitewashed the Athletics three times hand running.

Bill Dineen was the star performer of the Boston-Pittsburg clash back in 1903. Big Bill saved the series for the American League last year. Ban Johnson rewarded Bill by appointing him an umpire when his twirling arm went back on him.

This year there are Christy Mathewson and "Rube" Marquard, of the Giants, and Bender and Jack Coombs, of the Athletics, who all look very good.

This evening the regular meeting of the Victoria and District Soccer Association will be held in the rooms above Rendell's poolroom.

The meeting of the Wards, which was to have been held last evening, has been postponed until next Wednesday evening.

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SWEEPING CHANGE IN N. H. A. HOCKEY RULES

Six Men to Contribute a Team —Rover Abolished—Six-Club League

Montreal, Oct. 12.—Sweeping changes in the regulations under which hockey has been played by the teams in the National Hockey Association were made yesterday at a meeting of the magnates of that organization. The press was rigidly excluded but at the conclusion of the meeting several important announcements were made.

The number of men constituting a team is to be reduced from seven men to six, the position of rover being abolished. The reasons for this change were not made public. In addition every player is to be numbered, so that the spectators may be able to easily follow the progress of the game. Further, each team must have a uniform of distinctive colors, several of the teams last year being attired in costumes very similar. Fresh players will be permitted to be substituted at any period during the game. A national commission of directors is to be chosen, and all referees and timers are to be officially selected.

Quebec, Ottawa, Renfrew, Canadians and Wanderers were represented at the meeting, which was presided over by President Emmett Quinn. The association admitted a new club, which is to represent Toronto, making a six-club league, and decided to play a double schedule, each team playing four games with every other team.

SPORT NOTES

It was just three years ago that Fred Merkle of the New York National League club made the misplay that cost his club the flag in the National League and a chance at the world's championship series. Merkle, it will be remembered, running from first, failed to touch second when the winning run was crossing the plate and was declared out after a play had been made to that bag, with the result that the run did not count. On the play-off New York was beaten and Chicago took the flag. At the time of the misplay Merkle was subjected to all kind of criticism and McGraw was roasted for not firing him outright, but the Giant manager stuck to the unlucky player and has been busy ever since turning him into a first class first baseman. Merkle, too, was just as game as they make them, and has kept plugging along until he has come to be regarded as one of the very best first-sackers in either league. He has been fielding marvellously and has hit beautifully, too, when hits have counted for the Giants and possibly has done more than any other single man, with the exception of Marquard, in the boosting of the Giants pennantward.

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The team of Giants that will tackle the Athletics in the world's series is probably the youngest set of athletes on any one of the major league clubs, says the Pittsburg Post. A large percentage of them are under 25 years, while there are only two past the 30 mark. The oldest are Mathewson and Devlin. In point of service Mathewson is the oldest. He is the only man on the New York club who was a Giant when McGraw went to Gotham from Baltimore to take charge of the team. It has often been said that McGraw is not a developer of players, but that theory is knocked into a cocked hat by the fact that there is not a man now playing regularly on the New York team, with the possible exception of Murray, who was not developed by McGraw. Mathewson gives the credit for his development to McGraw, despite the fact that he was already a good pitcher before the present manager took charge of the team. Murray says that he has learned more about baseball since he joined the Giants than he did during all his other years, of activity on the diamond. It will be seen therefore, that the present champions of the National League were developed almost entirely by McGraw. There are four men on the club who have been on pennant winning teams before. They are Mathewson, Devlin, Wiltse and Ames. They are the last of the famous team that beat the Athletics for the world's championship in 1905.

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Any slump that may have occurred in the brand of baseball put up by the Northwestern League since the census of 1910, is probably due to the fact that according to Tacoma enumerators a large number of the players lived during the spring of last year on vacant lots in the outskirts of Tacoma. If the enumerators are to be believed, the players returned to the simple life and in spite of rain and chills, northern winds, etc., dwelt contentedly amid charred stumps, old cans and broken-down fences. An additional list of fake names submitted yesterday to the federal grand jury shows that in the spring of 1910 forty-eight baseball players of Seattle, Spokane and other players of Northwestern League clubs, took up habitue there. The grand jury made its report on the census probe yesterday afternoon and indictments are expected against the "men higher up," from whom the enumerators received their orders.

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Last evening Professor G. T. Grahame, of London, England, gave an exhibition of fancy roller skating at the Assembly rink, Fort street. His performance was very pretty and was greeted with continued applause.

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The Victoria Hunt club will hold its first run on Saturday. Neither the place and time of meeting nor the course have been decided on yet, but will be announced to-morrow.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS IN TRAINING NOW

Rugby Practices Every Tuesday and Thursday—Plenty of Material for Team

Every Tuesday and Thursday now the High School boys may be seen at Oak Bay engaged in Rugby practice. They are a sturdy lot of youngsters and with a good whipping into shape plenty of material for building up a formidable fifteen will be found in their ranks.

For some reason or other the season seems to have been delayed in Victoria this year. It was known that the Rugby players in Vancouver had commenced practice some time before the boys here and now, as a specific instance, the report comes from the Terminal City that the High School lads there have been chasing the pigskin for a month or more while the aggregation in yellow and black came to life just one week ago.

However, they are out of their holes now and putting enough life into their work to make up for all the lost time. Alan Clarke, the speedy half, and "Sam" Tuohy, one of the last year's cleverest three-quarters, are directing the practices. They have some 40 or 50 players to choose from and are of the opinion that if the High School ever did have a team it should have one this year.

No word has as yet been heard from the University and Collegiate schools, but it is to be presumed that they are rounding their huskies into shape for the coming inter-school struggles. The three schools, University, Collegiate and High, are deadly rivals on the gridiron and when any two of them clash, the sparks fly unrestrainedly. It will not be long now before they will be testing one another's strength in after-school practice matches.

The High School team has not been organized yet and will not be for a month or so. The most likely boy for the position as captain is Alan Clarke, while Sam Tuohy will fit in nicely as vice-captain. Ed. Steele, the redoubtable fullback of the college team, is also a likely candidate for the job at the head of affairs, but he has not been with the High School for as many moons as either Tuohy or Clarke.

In the early part of December the first of the Inter-High School matches takes place. Vancouver now holds the Thompson cup, but won it last season by the narrowest of margins and will certainly have to muster a stronger team than that of 1910 if they are going to hold it another season.

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TWO BIG LEAGUERS GET AUTOMOBILES

Ty Cobb and Schulte Were of Greatest Help to Their Teams

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 12.—The commission which yesterday selected Ty Cobb, of Detroit, and Frank Schulte, of the Chicago Cubs, as the players in each major league who proved of greatest help to his team in the pennant races just closed, made its choices by secret ballot cast by eleven newspapermen, one in each city represented in the big leagues.

Ed Walsh, of the White Sox, was second in the American League voting, and Mathewson, of the New York Giants, ran second in the National League.

Eddie Collins was third, Joe Jackson fourth and Walter Johnson fifth in the American; and Larry Doyle, Hans Wagner and Grover Alexander were tied for third, fourth and fifth places in the National League.

Cobb was given the high compliment of the highest number of points possible for any player to attain under the system of voting.

BUES SETS RECORD.

More Hitting in Northwestern League in 1911 Than in Many Seasons.

Spokane and Seattle have had their share of Northwestern League batting champions. Arthur Bues, the stocky, square shouldered chap, who goes back to New York next year to try the National League pitching, brought home the third plum of the Northwestern's 11 seasons to Seattle this year, with the fine average of .351. In so doing, Bues, as may be observed, set a new Northwestern League record for the number of hits.

Whether it was the new cork-centre ball, weaker pitching, more clubs in the league, or what not, Northwestern batsmen certainly did more hitting during the last year than in many long seasons past. (We went back to the days of Huelsman, Piggy Ward and Gus Klopf this last year, and incidentally, by glancing at the Union Association averages, we observe that Huelsman has not yet forgotten how.

Lou Nordyke, who led all Northwestern batsmen in 1910, came right back this season and beat out every other regular but the big boy Bues. Harry Melchoir, the San Francisco castoff, took part in less than half as many games as Bues and Nordyke, but ranks second of the most conspicuous hitters with .327. Miles Netzel and Charlie Swain finished a tie for fourth honors. If there is any bet to be settled on it, Swain has a fraction of one point the better of Netzel.

The extra base hitting honors went to Bues, who notched 27 home runs, a new Northwestern League record, and close to the mark of 30 set by Ping Bodie in the coast circuit a year ago. Bues was not hard pressed, but Frisk and Leard were next in point of long swatting.

The individual averages:

	AB.	R.	H.	Ave.
Knight, Seattle	11	2	4	.363
Bues, Seattle	618	105	217	.351
Holmes, Victoria	29	1	10	.345
Brown, Vancouver	3	1	1	.333
Melchoir, Spokane	295	36	67	.327
Skeels, Seattle	47	8	15	.319
Nordyke, Spokane	585	107	186	.318
Moore, Portland	159	30	50	.314
Swain, Vancouver	392	73	121	.309
Netzel, Spokane	599	116	185	.309
Householder, Seattle	566	77	173	.304
Mundorff, Portland	612	108	184	.301
Weed, Seattle	570	79	171	.300
Bennett, Vancouver	601	119	180	.300
Brennan, Victoria	197	26	59	.299
Kippert, Spokane	516	80	154	.299
Goodman, Victoria	626	75	185	.294
Brashear, Vancouver	345	75	128	.294
Bauer, Spokane	17	2	5	.294
Frisk, Vancouver	593	105	172	.290
Cruickshank, Seattle	571	87	122	.287
Mensor, Portland	426	87	122	.286
Cooney, Spokane	659	130	186	.282
Zimmerman, Spokane	594	102	170	.286
Stovall, Portland	613	84	173	.286
Lynch, Tacoma	462	58	130	.281
Brinker, Vancouver	588	65	164	.279
Sheg, Seattle	401	47	111	.277
Guyn, Tacoma	85	6	18	.277
Million, Victoria	671	86	184	.274
Abbott, Tacoma	476	59	130	.273
Archer, Tacoma	11	0	3	.273
Speas, Portland	422	73	113	.271
Williams, Portland	596	74	159	.269
Pettigrow, Portland	379	61	102	.269
Bradley, Portland	112	18	30	.268
Coleman, Tacoma	609	74	163	.268
James, Vancouver	540	93	144	.267
Leard, Seattle	597	124	158	.266
Whaling, Seattle	95	10	25	.263
Cates, Vancouver	203	20	52	.261
Morse, Tacoma	530	69	136	.257
Bloomfield, Portland	102	13	26	.255
Burns, Tacoma	474	60	119	.251
Scharnweber, Van.	600	66	149	.248
Lewis, Vancouver	409	42	101	.247
Cartwright, Spokane	522	77	129	.247
Tonneson, Portland	82	12	20	.244
Sicht, Tacoma	98	6	24	.245
Houck, Spokane	33	2	8	.242
Harrison, Vancouver	286	43	69	.241
Kennedy, Victoria	357	38	86	.241
Bassey, Tacoma	573	94	137	.239
Ort, Seattle	494	63	117	.238
Ostdiek, Spokane	183	26	43	.236
MacMurdo, Victoria	429	45	100	.233
Sheeley, Spokane	13	1	3	.231
Corash, Spokane	445	59	102	.229
Annis, Tacoma	110	14	25	.227
Miller, Portland	105	12	24	.229
Reddick, Victoria	75	8	17	.227
Keller, Victoria	483	53	109	.226
DeVogt, Victoria	311	30	71	.226
Coltrin, Portland	354	42	78	.224
Davidson, Seattle	165	30	37	.224
Raymond, Seattle	611	67	134	.219
Willett, Vancouver	208	30	45	.217
Jensen, Portland	93	7	20	.215
Ward, Victoria	383	33	82	.214
Adams, Vancouver	300	49	64	.213
Strand, Spokane	33	5	7	.212
Raymer, Victoria	257	21	56	.218
Fullerton, Seattle	99	6	21	.211
Shea, Vancouver	119	12	25	.210
Hasty, Spokane	182	18	38	.208
Gordon, Tacoma	97	8	20	.206
Henkle, Portland	15	1	3	.200
Harris, Portland	266	32	73	.200
Grindle, Victoria	140	6	28	.200
Gervais, Vancouver	70	7	14	.200
Willis, Spokane	125	7	25	.200

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TWO RUGBY MATCHES THIS WEEK END

J. B. A. A. and Victoria and Bay Intermediates vs. Algerine at Oak Bay

Two Rugby football matches to be played at Oak Bay are on the bills for Saturday afternoon, at 1:30, the Bay intermediates and the fifteen from the H. M. S. Algerine will line up and at 3 o'clock the Bay seniors and Victoria will take the field.

The latter should be productive of a fine exposition of rugby. Both teams have a fair share of Victoria's best men and are filled out with players of no small ability. That this city has the best Rugby exponents in the province is so well known as to hardly need mention—the fact that they hold the B. C. championship is prima facie evidence to that effect—and when these players go out against one another as they are wont to do when not engaged in warfare with the mainland or up-island teams the result is always a splendid struggle. Saturday's will be the first of the 1911 matches between the Bays and Victoria.

This evening the players who expect to make the trip south to play the Universities of California and Stanford, will meet at the J. B. A. A. gymnasium for the purpose of indulging in an hour's training. A stiff run will be included in the list of exercises.

BASEBALL RESULTS

INTER-LEAGUE GAME

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
Nationals	0	8	2
Americans	0	5	0

Batteries — Ludermilk and Bliss; Hamilton and Stephens. Nine innings.

ATHLETICS LOSE

At Richmond, Va.—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	8	11	5
All-Stars	13	15	1

Batteries—Morgan, Krause, Coombs and Livingston, Lapp; R. Collins, Mollin and Street, Henry.

COAST LEAGUE

At San Francisco—	R.	H.	E.
Vernon	1	6	2
Oakland	8	10	1

Batteries — Stewart, Kilroy and Brown; Ables and Mitze.

At Los Angeles—	R.	H.	E.
Portland	4	13	1
Los Angeles	2	6	1

Batteries—Henderson and LaLonge; Tozer and Brooks.

At Sacramento—	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	3	10	2
Sacramento	2	6	1

Batteries — Fanning and Carman; Baum and Price.

FINAL TRAINING TO-DAY.

Indication of What May Be Expected at Polo Grounds Saturday.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 12.—This is the last day of training for the New York Nationals and after the Giants have engaged the "lowly" Brooklyns this afternoon for the final contest in the National League they will rest until the opening game of the world's series on Saturday with the Athletics.

An indication of what baseball officials expect when the gates of the Polo grounds are opened on Saturday for the first of the world's series games is furnished by an order which has been sent out to the four hundred employees who will handle the fans. To each man the following notice has been sent:

"It will be necessary for employees to report at the Polo grounds, Saturday, Oct. 14, at 7:30 a. m.

"Please answer this order at once by postal. It will be necessary to keep this card and present same at the gate in order to obtain entrance to the grounds."

HOME-MADE WIRELESS.

Village Youths Make Plant and Pick Up Messages.

Two young men living in the West Monmouthshire hamlet of Gellygroes have made and installed a wireless telegraphic plant, with which they have achieved some remarkably successful results.

The young inventors are Arthur Ernest Moore, son of a miller, and Richard Jenkins, electrician at a local colliery. With a home-made apparatus, constructed largely from oddments of wood and metal, and some poles affixed to the tops of tall trees, the two young men ultimately established communication between the mail and Tyllwyd farm, two miles distant, where Jenkins lives.

Since then their inventive powers and perseverance have been applied with such success that they are said to have picked up in their secluded village messages from liners at sea and from Continental stations.

Moore, who as a boy had the misfortune to lose a leg while experimenting with the machinery in his father's mill, now utilizes this machinery for driving a dynamo in connection with the wireless installation.

WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT.

Victoria Meteorological Office,
4th to 10th October, 1911.

Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine, 28 hours and 12 minutes; rain, .08 inch; highest temperature, 67 on 7th; lowest, 41 on 5th.

Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshine, 20 hours and 18 minutes; rain, 1.12 inch; highest temperature, 74 on 7th; lowest, 44 on 5th.

New Westminster—Rain, .61 inch; highest temperature, 71 on 7th; lowest, 43 on 5th.

Kamloops—Rain, .12 inch; highest temperature, 88 on 8th; lowest, 40 on 10th.

Barkerville—Highest temperature, 78 on 8th; lowest, 30 on 5th.

Prince Rupert—Rain, 3.46 inches; highest temperature, 58 on 10th; lowest, 41 on 7th.

Atlin—Rain, .16 inch; highest temperature, 48 on 4th and 8th; lowest, 28 on 9th.

Dawson—Rain, .20 inch; snow, .40 inch; highest temperature, 52 on 10th; lowest, 26 on 10th.

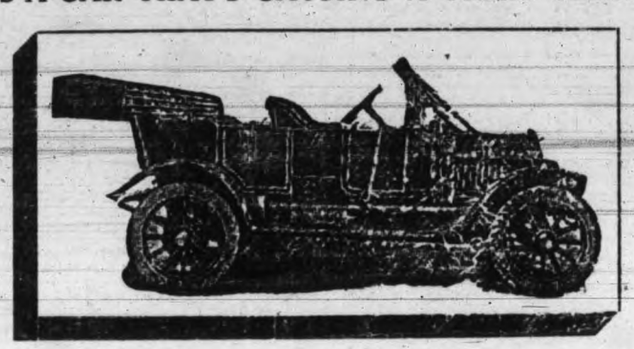
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BUFFALO BULLS IN BATTLE.

Deposed Ruler of Herd Tries Conclusions Again and is Killed.

Two bulls, monarchs of the buffalo herd at City Park zoo, engaged in mortal combat. One was killed. The other is now king with a dozen subjects to pay him homage as ruler.

The big bisons, as fine specimens as were in captivity, tried conclusions a year ago, when Pablo, imported from Montana and 9 years old, was bested by Colorado, a home product of the same size and pugnacity, after an all night contest full of gore and fierceness.

Loss of prestige did not set well with Pablo. He was never the same. Pulled from his throne in a night, he the jealous ruler expatriated but ever mindful and determined to win back his throne.

Just how these two massive animals started their battle no one knows, save the others of the herd, and they are dumb. When Animal Keeper Hill made his usual inspection of his wards Sunday morning lying in one corner of the buffalo lot he found Colorado, horned horribly and dead.

For fifty feet the earth had been ploughed up violently. It was also blood soaked. More than 100 feet away stood Pablo, docile, fatigued, his mane clogged with gore and dirt, his horns discolored with Colorado's life blood. The dozen other members of the herd were gathered about the hay stack, eating as if nothing had occurred.

Like man, the buffalo must have his king. The difference is that the latter must win his throne by sheer force of strength. Heredity does not go among people of the plains. Since the herd was brought to City Park zoo a score of years ago, the rulership has gone only to him that wrested it from his predecessor.

Colorado will be mounted and placed in the museum at City Park.—Denver Post.

AEROPLANES IN WAR.

The artillery manoeuvres at Verdon with heavy guns have brought out the remarkable services the aeroplanes can perform in war, says the Paris correspondent of the London Morning Leader. A day and night attack on the forts along the line from Donamont to Froideterre on objectives situated behind the hills of Poivre and Samogneur was carried out under war conditions—that is to say, the objectives were invisible to the forts, and even to the captive balloons. They were, however, discovered by aeroplane reconnaissances—thanks largely to the photographs taken in the air by Captain Lebeaux on board Captain Casse's military biplane. The photographs, taken at an altitude of 1,200 yards, enabled the military men to determine accurately the position of the enemy's works. Several biplanes were manoeuvring in the air. Not a single cannon shot escaped the observers on board, and the enemy's batteries would in real warfare have been annihilated.

USING BOY SCOUTS.

The Russian government, rarely lacking in resource, has found new spheres of employment for boy scouts and for monks. It intends to use the Boy Scouts in place of the Sisters of Mercy who generally accompany the Russian army to the front. The minister of war is in favor of using Boy Scouts this way, and for training the monks in the monasteries to take up the Boy Scout work. The monks will be trained in the various scout activities, such as will be necessary for medical and surgical work and other duties attending camp life.

The minister of war believes that both boys and monks can be trained to be of great value both to the government and to the people. But some people are wondering whether the ministrations of either one or the other will be found so pleasant and soothing to the poor wounded soldiers from the fields of battle as those of the brave, sweet and gentle Sisters of Mercy.

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PHILOSOPHY OF KISSES.

Kissing is a harmless form of exercise, according to Rev. Connor Kennedy of the Reformed Presbyterian church of Toronto, Canada. He advised young people to indulge in the pleasant pastime and predicts that were the custom more common, there would be "fewer bachelors and old maids."

Every man or woman is entitled to an opinion on this subject. The Canadian reverend possibly has two—one for his public utterances, the other for his home circle.

The act of kissing is neither objectionable nor inspiring. Many people do not so express love or affection. On the other hand, the practice is carried to an extreme in other lands and men kiss men as an ordinary expression of esteem.

It is that which is behind the kiss that counts. The kiss of Judas would not seem to be an incident that would be remembered by the ages. Yet the cowardly malice of the traitor has made the action eternally infamous.

"The kiss of peace" was known to other years. It was considered a binding pact. Because of the popular sentiment behind it, the man who violated it was branded a craven and forsworn.

Nothing is more sacred than the kiss of love—but it is the love that makes the sacredness—not the act. The dewy impress of the mother upon the lips of her babe causes heaven to smile and makes the whole world sweeter and better.

The first bashful meeting of the lips of youth and maid, sealing betrothal, is a sacred thing. It is the promise of that homely virtue without which no nation, however mighty, long can endure.—Bellingham American.

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SOCIALISTS AGAINST WAR.

Over a hundred thousand persons, including women and children, obeyed the summons of the Social Democratic party executive to a mass meeting in Treptow Park on Sept. 3, to protest against the war agitation over Morocco. As processions are forbidden the people approached the park in bodies of 200 to 1,000, marshalled by their own officers. There were 10 tribunes. The speakers, who were Socialist Reichstag deputies or Socialist candidates for the Reichstag for the Berlin divisions, spoke for an hour, the theme being "against war agitation and for peace between peoples." An identical resolution was passed at all the tribunes condemning incitement to war. The affair passed off with the order and punctuality characteristic of Socialist demonstrations here. There were a few cases of fainting in consequence of the excessive heat.

CANADA SURPRISES PASSENGER AGENT

ENGLISH G. T. P. MAN VISITING VICTORIA

E. J. Wearing Says Canada is Great Country—Many Immigrants Coming

With a broader view of the greatness of the Dominion of Canada, a new thought that this country can support many of the English sons who are now making but a scant living in their present spheres of work and a resolution that on his return to his native land he will try to correct the opinion that Canada is a snowbound country, E. J. Wearing, passenger agent of the Grand Trunk Railway System at Liverpool, Eng., arrived in Victoria yesterday from Vancouver aboard the steamer Prince George. This is the first visit Mr. Wearing has paid to Canada and his views and ideas of the country have been greatly changed since he boarded the G. T. train at Montreal, crossing the prairies and Rocky Mountains.

When a Times representative asked Mr. Wearing his opinion of Canada, his face became wreathed in smiles and he said: "Canada is a great country, greater than my imagination ever depicted to me. I thought as I sped across the continent what a splendid place this would be for many of our young men. The opportunities here are unbounded and you can advertise Canada a great deal more without stepping over the mark. I must admit that I was greatly surprised when crossing the prairies to find that instead of just a flat, level section of country without a house in sight, I noticed little dwellings dotted all over.

"It is my opinion that the immigrants who came to your country this year were just the class of people you wanted to assist in the development of your country. I believe that next year you will witness a larger number of immigrants coming into your country than ever before. Many of the people in Wales will move out here. Our offices are constantly receiving inquiries from people who wish to know something about Canada. Upon my return I will be in a far better position to give this information, as I have seen the country myself."

Mr. Wearing left Liverpool on the Allan liner Corsican, Sept. 7, and on reaching Montreal took one of the Grand Trunk trains and visited all the large cities in Canada and the United States on his way to the coast. He went as far as Edmonton on the Grand Trunk Pacific and has many complimentary things to say regarding the development of the land through which the company's line passes. "I must admit that I was surprised again as I viewed the fast growing towns—which will soon be cities—all along the line. Saskatoon especially was a revelation to me, as I thought it was but a small town, having gathered that opinion from the literature I had read. There is nothing to stop the development work in Canada and there are countless opportunities out here for our people in England."

Mr. Wearing continued his trip to Seattle on the Prince George and this morning was to go north to Prince Rupert. If time permits, he will take the train from Rupert to Kitselas Canyon, the end of the G. T. P. steel from the Pacific coast. On his return Mr. Wearing will leave Seattle by the Great Northern and see everything there is to be seen in the States. He states that his holiday has done him good and that he will become a Canadian publicity agent on his return to the Old Country.

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The ADVANCE MAN

"The Girl in the Taxi."

"The Girl in the Taxi," which comes to the Victoria theatre to-night, is remarkable for its numberless complications. No play produced in recent years can boast of half as many situations to the act. Mix-up follows mix-up in such rapid-fire order that the audience finds it difficult to catch its breath between laughs. Indeed, were it not for the many delightful musical and dancing specialities interpolated throughout the piece there is grave fear that physicians might have to be called to attend numerous cases of hysteria.

One of the funniest situations occurs when John Stewart, a wealthy New York banker who, while pretending to possess all the domestic virtues, likes to have his little midnight lark, meets his supposedly innocent son, Bertie, in a private dining room at the Cafe Churchill, where father and son, without knowledge of the other, had gone to keep engagements.

"The Girl in the Taxi" is recommended as a tonic of laughter guaranteed to chase away the blues and make one the better for having seen and laughed at the antics and embarrassments of this fascinating lady and her jolly companions.

"Bright Eyes."

Cecil Lean and Florence Holbrook, two of the cleverest and best-known fun-makers on the American stage, are this season again playing the principal roles in "Bright Eyes," Jos. M. Gaites' new musical play, which they originated last season. The play was put on about the middle of last season, and with the exception of one or two other cities remained until late in the spring in Boston and New York. This season it will play a few of the principal cities between the Atlantic and the Mississippi, being announced as the attraction at the Victoria theatre Monday and Tuesday, October 16 and 17.

The play is by the authors of "Three Twins," Charles Dickson having written the book, Otto Hauerbach the lyrics, and Karl Hoschna the music. The play is based on the popular farce "Mistakes Will Happen," and the story is complete and logical, a thing seldom found in musical comedies. To fit this story Mr. Hoschna has written some very pleasing and tuneful melodies and Mr. Hauerbach's lyrics are bright and clever. The large chorus, which is incidental to the story, has been selected carefully for the ability of its members as well as for their beauty, and Mr. Gaites states that he believes it is one of the strongest singing and dancing choruses ever sent out of New York.

The play has been given a complete and elaborate scenic setting and there have been introduced a number of novel and elaborate mechanical and electric effects. Each chorus girl makes at least ten changes of costume during the play and the principals are also elaborately costumed.

The annual consumption of wine in France averages 23 gallons for each person.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL RECEIVES DEPUTATION

Problems in Way of Greater Vancouver Scheme Brought Before Cabinet

At a meeting of the executive council yesterday deputations were received from the Vancouver and South Vancouver councils with reference to the proposed annexation of South Vancouver, and a number of other matters affecting the interests of terminal city which require legislation.

From Vancouver there were present Alderman Stevens, M. P., Alderman Crowe, Williamson and Rogers, and from South Vancouver the reeve, W. A. Pound.

So far as the annexation proposal was concerned the council heard the arguments of the deputation whose members showed that it was impossible to secure a vote of 51 per cent of the registered owners, owing to the large number of absentee holders of land, and asked the executive to make special arrangements to permit a majority vote to decide the proposal.

The members of the executive indicated that if a vote was taken in December, and the result was as the deputation anticipated, they would then consider the advisability of enabling legislation to be submitted to the next session of the legislature.

The Vancouver matters, including the Kitsilano Indian Reserve question, were discussed, and another session was held in the afternoon when Reeve Pound was joined by Mr. Burgess, chairman of the South Vancouver board of health, in seeking an amendment to the Municipal Clauses Act to enable them to provide hospital accommodation for this thriving suburban municipality of Vancouver.

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SNAKES IN INDIA.

Increasing Mortality Results From Venonmous Reptiles.

According to a statement published by the government of India the total number of persons killed by wild animals in 1910 was 2,400, compared with 2,496 in 1909. Man-eating tigers were more aggressive in the Sundarbans portion of the Khulna district, and this is attributed to the diminution of their natural food supply, owing to the drowning of large numbers of deer in the storm wave which accompanied the cyclone of 1909.

In the central provinces and Berer, tigers destroyed 67 victims, as compared with 102 in the preceding year. Six known man-eating tigers and two panthers were killed during the year in these provinces. The abnormal number of deaths due to wild pig in 1909 in eastern Bengal and Assam—126—was not maintained, though 50 persons were victims to these animals.

The total mortality among human beings caused by snake-bite rose from 21,364 to 22,478. An increase in eastern Bengal and Assam is attributed to snakes being driven in high floods to take refuge in the raised village sites. Both in this province and in the United Provinces a considerable number of cases were treated with the Brunton lancet and permanganate of potash, and a high proportion of them are reported to have recovered. No reliable deduction can, however, be drawn from the use of this lancet, owing to the lack of proof that the bites it was used upon were really those of poisonous snakes.

The number of cattle killed by wild animals was 93,074, against 94,207 in 1909. Rewards are paid for destruction of wild animals and snakes. In 1910, 1,421 tigers, 5,029 leopards, 2,292 bears, 3,114 wolves and 91,104 snakes were killed.

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From all parts of England come further accounts of the astonishing yields of honey. The Warwickshire Beekeepers' Association secured a record entry of honey at their annual exhibition at Coventry, and it was stated that so abundant has been the honey harvest this year that the yield exceeds that for the last five years.

This satisfactory result is attributed to the abnormal summer, the amount of sunshine being favorable to the bees. "There is a great demand for honey," said an expert, "and the British public are beginning to understand its immense food value. As a food for children it cannot be surpassed, while economically it will be found much cheaper than some other food. Large quantities could be bought for 7d. or 8d. per pound.

"An extremely interesting medical account of honey as a cure for disease, especially dyspepsia, is published by the British Beekeepers' Association, and if the views there expressed were generally understood the consumption of honey in England would soon increase to the degree of consumption in other countries. In certain cases honey and water is an invaluable food and medicine; but the important point is that the bees convert the nectar of which they rob the honey into grape sugar by a process that cannot be imitated, for no imitation can keep the flavor and aroma.

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Now, use your own judgment, but consider carefully what your chances are of making $85.00 on an investment of $15 in six months, or $1,000 on an investment of $150, for as sure as the sun rises and sets this stock will go to $1.00 at least as soon as the drill cuts through the seams of splendid coal that are surely there, according to all experts' reports of the highest obtainable authority, who have reported on the Queen Charlotte Islands coal measures, as follows: T. R. Marshall, F. C. S., 1902; Dr. Geo. M. Dawson, D. S., A. R. A. R. S. M., F. G. S., 1878; H. E. Parrish, John J. Langdale, 1867; James Deans, 1872; James Parkinson, 1888; R. W. Ellis, 1906; T. B. Cory, of the State of Washington, U. S. A., and our own expert, C. F. J. Galloway, B. S. C., who is among the best authority in B. C.

These reports cover first the Wilson-Robinson coal fields, three miles north of this coal land; second, the Old Cowgate coal fields, almost adjoining on the west; third, the Alfred Bay coal fields on the south; and fourth, the company's own coal, all of which are positive evidence that this is one of the best coal fields on Queen Charlotte Islands. Situate on Graham Island, Bearskin Bay, one of the best harbors in the north, at the gateway of transportation to all points of the world, and at the very doors of Queen Charlotte city, in fact a portion of this coal underlies the townsite. No railroads to build, just load the coal from the mines to the boats. These are facts that defy contradiction, and within thirty days we expect to have the diamond drill on the ground and in operation. This is the only way anyone can tell how many millions of tons of coal there is in the property.

All applications with deposits for 50,000 of the first 100,000 shares must be made to Mr. Arnold E. Kealy before the drilling operations will start, otherwise every dollar of your money will be returned to you, and if you are too late with your application for the first block of stock at 15c your money will also be returned. All applications will be filed in order received, and only 100,000 will be sold at 15c.

How many times in your life have you had a chance like this? A square deal for once at least in a stock proposition, with almost a certainty of the stock being worth $1.00 before you have made your third payment at 15c. The drill will be shipped just as soon as your orders are in for the 50,000 of the first 100,000 shares.

There are over 100,000 people in Vancouver who know a good thing when they see it, and at least 500,000 in the province who are willing to take a chance on a square deal, and you may depend this stock will all go within a few days. Do not hesitate until too late. Send in your application to-day.

For further information call or write to the head office of the company, 506 Pacific Building, where the report of C. F. J. Galloway, B. S. C., on this coal land can be seen. His report is all that could be asked, practically saying that the coal is there beyond a doubt with sufficient evidence in sight to warrant drilling and development work at once.

PARAGRAPHS FROM MR. GALLOWAY'S REPORT

"Large areas are held as coal lands all over the eastern half of Graham Island, but as far as I can learn no drilling has yet been done to prove the measures, except two holes near Masset Inlet, the results of which have been kept secret, and may therefore be looked upon as negative.

"The fact remains, however, that thick seams of coal of a good quality have been proven in what are described as four different horizons in the series, and it is, in my opinion, well worth your while to spend some money in proving the measures, as, if any one of these coal seams prove of workable thickness and of good quality, you will have an area of very little disturbed coal, lying fairly flat, and situate most favorably for shipping purposes.

"The easiest seam to prove will be the Cowgitz, as its horizon is known. I should, therefore, recommend you to put down a borehole near the eastern end of your easternmost section. At the point marked C on the map the position of this seam should be passed through at a depth of about 500 feet, the Camp Anthracite seam being probably passed through in the same hole, if it occurs at all in this locality."

All promoters stock is to be pooled until $200,000 has been raised for the purpose of developing the mine.

In conclusion you will have the satisfaction of knowing that your money is all going into proving the coal is there, not into the promoters' pockets nor to pay for a dead horse of any kind, as the coal leases and titles are all paid for and clear of all encumbraces and will always be a valuable asset. Fill out the application form for any number of shares you want and address your application to H. J. Heal & Co., Victoria agents, 125 Pemberton block, who are the authorized agents to receive applications and receipt for same. All cheques or money orders should be made out to them. You are requested to make any enquiries not answered in this advertisement, which will receive a prompt answer. The solicitors are Burns & Walkem, 415 Winch building, Vancouver.

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MOOSE JAW ONLY PLACE REPORTING A SHORTAGE

Prairie Harvesting and Construction Work in Cities Can Be Handled

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 12.—According to Western Associated Press despatches received last night from the principal industrial and agrarian centres in the west the fear of an imminent labor famine is unfounded. Only in the Moose Jay district is the need of city and field labor urgently felt, the active demand in other localities being the ever-present call for building and construction laborers and the usual autumn needs for the harvest field and thresher gangs.

In most of the larger cities there is a brisk demand also for skilled artisans, while the same thing might be said of unskilled labor, though to a lesser degree arising from the periodical influx of ranchers and summer farm-hands, who spend the off-season in town.

This latter state of affairs is particularly applicable to the far-western industrial centres, such as Calgary and Medicine Hat, where there is a large and increasing population. East of Calgary, in point of fact, there is likely to be a surplus of unskilled hands owing to the recent decision of the lumber manufacturers of the western Alberta district to close down work for the winter. This surplus, however, finds its solution in such towns as Moose Jaw, where one employment agency alone has called for six hundred men and where the G. T. P. is sending out a rush call for at least three hundred men.

Taken all around the western labor situation this fall will be satisfactorily adjusted if only the medium for accomplishing the adjustment is ascertained and applied.

Situation in Moose Jaw.

Moose Jaw, Oct. 12.—The shortage of labor which has become so acute recently here was dealt with by the Board of Trade last night. It was stated from carefully selected data that as many as 1,000 unskilled laborers are urgently required in Moose Jaw, and besides these a number of men in different trades are needed. President Loney was deputed to urge the railways to extend the excursions from the east with a view to relieve the situation. It is pointed out that laborers are offered $3 a day and threshers as much as $3.25. Unless a sufficient number of men are procurable it is feared that many threshing outfits must close down and general advancement in public works, improvements and railway construction be greatly handicapped.

WINNIPEG WHEAT.

Winnipeg, Oct. 12.—Wheat—Oct., 98@98½; Nov., 97½@97¾; Dec., 95½@95¾; May, old, 100¾; May, new, 100½@100¾. Oats—Oct., 42½@42¾; Dec., 39@39¼; May, 42½@42¾. Flax—Oct., 224@224; Nov., 221@221. Cash Wheat, close—No. 1 Northern, 99½; No. 2 Nor., 96½; No. 3 Nor., 94½; No. 4, 90½; No. 5, 84; No. 6, 77; feed, 77. Oats—2 C. W., 42; 3 C. W., 41; ex. 1 feed, 41; 1 feed, 40; 2 feed, 37½. Barley—No. 3, 70; No. 4, 60; rejected, 55; feed, 70. Flax—No. 1 N. W., 224.

GRAIN DEALERS ARE DUPED BY A FAKIR

Board of Trade Warns Local Dealers Against Crook Who Won Out Elsewhere

The quarterly general meeting of the board of trade will be held to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock. At this meeting the report of the harbor development committee will be presented and, as it is extremely important, will be given the most careful consideration.

Through the board of trade grain firms in the city are warned to beware of a fraudulent dealer in oats, barley and wheat, who by selling to Denver and Portland firms shipments of various grains, obtaining part payments and not making good the order, has defrauded them of sums amounting to $25,000.

J. W. Cook, secretary of the Denver Wholesale Hay and Grain Dealers' Association, writes to the local board of trade as follows:

About August 20, 1911, a party at Brigham City, Utah—by name Ray V. Smith (evidently assumed)—began to write to grain firms in Denver, offering various quantities of oats, barley and wheat, and, after considerable correspondence by letter and wire, sold to Denver grain dealers oats and barley.

His letterheads on which he carried on his correspondence gave his business as an importer and breeder of Percheron stallions and mares, and about August 30 he closed the several deals with the several grain dealers, and advised them that the cars would be loaded by the first of the following week.

On September 7 he came to Denver, and on that day and the next succeeding days called on the various grain dealers, produced bills of lading apparently correct in every detail, but later on proved to be forgeries, and requested a part payment on each shipment to be made at once. Whenever cheque was given, he requested that the drawer of the cheque identify him at the bank, that he might obtain the cash, stating he was going east to purchase stallions, and that there was one for sale near Colorado Springs; that he was a stranger to the party having the horse for sale, and could not properly identify himself as the holder of a draft or cashier's cheque, and for that reason wanted the actual money to pay for the horse in case the purchase was made.

This party was questioned very closely regarding several different matters, and was minutely familiar with every detail of the grain business, as also the produce business, and was well posted on the markets. He is about five feet five inches tall; weight, about 145 to 150 pounds; of light complexion, smooth face, with rather small, sharp features, and about thirty-two years of age. He wore clothes of rather poor texture, and his quiet and uneasy manner confirmed his story of a first transaction in shipping carload grain to market, the story told by him.

However, we are of opinion that he is a grain man and is perfectly familiar with grain shipping, though his actions are apparently of the "Farmer Style."

Keep a close lookout, as the deal may be tried in your city. A similar deal was pulled off at Portland, Oregon, last March, and, from all descriptions, was the same man.

Denver and Portland dealers are out about $25,000.

As a general rule roots extend on each side of a tree to a distance equal to the height of the tree itself.

SEVEN AND FIVE YEARS FOR GOSCO

LAST OF ITALIAN GANG IS SENTENCED

Deliberate Perjury Charged Against Witness in Dale Trial by F. T. Peters, K. C.

Two sentences of seven and five years' imprisonment at Westminster penitentiary were given by Judge Lampman this morning to G. Gosco, alias G. Desmond, alias J. W. Cowan, an Italian who was believed to be the leader of the gang of Italian thieves who operated in Victoria during last summer. Gasco was convicted on two charges of burglary, the first from the St. Francis hotel, where he stole $140 worth of jewelry from W. J. and Mrs. Emily, and the second from the dwelling of Mrs. McGee, 914 Pandora street, from where the thief obtained, in company with another, $14.80.

The disposal of Gosco this morning ends a chapter in the history of Victoria criminal records from which five Italians are now in jail. When the gang was arrested four took trials before Magistrate Jay and were convicted, Gosco on two charges reserving his defence. The others are serving sentences from one to five years.

On the first charge which was heard Monday, Gosco got five years and was not defended by counsel. This morning, however, Mr. Robinson of Vancouver, represented him. Leaving the court in custody this morning Gosco in English asked, "How do I get five years without a lawyer and seven years with a lawyer?" Throughout both trials he had persisted he could not talk or understand English.

The robbery at the McGee home occurred on July 27 about 5 a. m., and the previous night. Miss McGee in giving evidence to-day, said they had been sitting at home talking of the robbery at the St. Francis hotel, little thinking that their house would be visited by the same thief. However, Miss McGee said she decided to sleep downstairs that night, and it was because of this that she was able to-day to identify Gosco.

She was awakened by footsteps in the house and opened the door of the room in which he was and she saw Gosco and a taller Italian coming down stairs. They behaved just as if they had got into the wrong house and passed by her and went out to the street. She had heard them upstairs go into a room from which the money was missed the next morning, and called her sister. Together the girls watched the men leave the house and watched them go down Pandora street. Gosco turned back twice so she was certain of his identity.

Miss McGee said she had a revolver in her possession while she watched the men, but the revolver was not for use, because it was broken. "But it looked all right," she said, "and I thought it might frighten them." Judge Lampman asked her how she held it and the girl replied, "Behind me."

The girl's parents and seven men boarders were sleeping in the house at the time of the robbery, but she was the only one who was awakened.

The sentences given Gosco this morning are to run concurrently.

The trial of Bonnycastle Dale for gross indecency was commenced in camera at the conclusion of the Gosco trial and the informant, an English boy aged 17½ years, was called for the prosecution. He told of having met the accused at the Empress hotel and gone with him there to accused's room. They walked together to Beacon Hill park where the offence is alleged to have occurred. He had been sent to the hotel after previously meeting Dale by a detective who, with others of the provincial police, followed the pair to Beacon Hill park, where the arrest was made.

F. Peters, K.C., of Prince Rupert, is defending accused in company with H. D. Helmcken, K.C., who yesterday obtained an adjournment owing to illness.

The boy's examination had not concluded when the court adjourned, but Mr. Peters had during the boy's evidence remarked that he was a deliberate perjurer, and an imbecile, and that the whole matter was a conspiracy, the participants in which should have been laid by the heels long ago.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

Victoria, Oct. 12.

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Canadian Northwest Oil	....	.03
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Granby	27.00	30.00
International Coal & Coke	.50½	.56
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C. N. P. Fisheries	2.50	3.50
Dominion Trust Co.	118.00	126.00
Great West Permanent (a)	118.00	125.00
Great West Permanent (b)	115.00	....
Stewart Land	8.00	12.00
Bitter Creek	....	.10
Coronation Gold	.35	.45
Glacier Creek	.02½	.03½
Klaskino	.10	....
Kootenay Gold	.35	....
Lasquetl	.01	.01¼
Lucky Calumet	.01	.02
Lucky Jim Zinc	.20	.28
Main Reef	....	.02½
Nugget Gold	.45	.55
Portland Canal	.10	.10½
Portland Wonder	....	.03
Rambler Cariboo	.50	....
Red Cliffs	.85	.90
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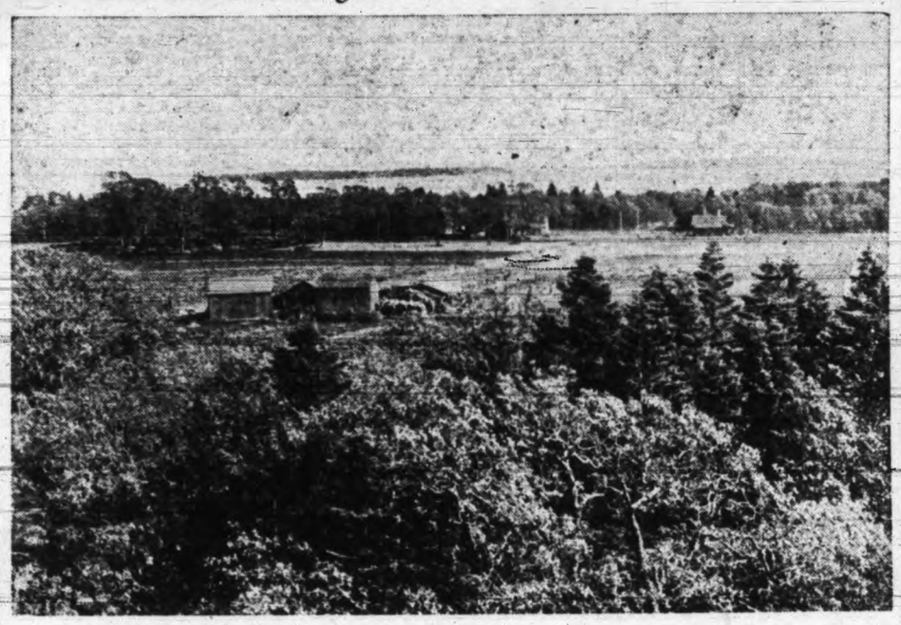
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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of December next application will be made to the Superintendent of Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Howards Hotel, situate at Esquimalt, in the Province of British Columbia.
Dated this 11th day of October, 1911.
JOSEPH BALL,
Applicant.

COST OF RULERS.

We are accustomed to hearing it said that the United States have an exceedingly cheap form of government as compared with the United Kingdom. The statement is notoriously incorrect. The King of Great Britain and Ireland is a much cheaper ruler than is the President of the United States. The British parliament is a more economical governing body than is the United States congress. Deducting the revenue from the property surrendered to the Crown by the Sovereign from the amount which was paid to King Edward and the royal family, the net cost to the nation in his last year was about $380,000. How does this compare with President Taft's $50,000 salary, it may be asked. The $50,000 is only an item of the Presidential cost. To it are to be added travelling expenses, $25,000; secretary to the President, $5,000; other employees in executive office, $61,000; contingent expenses, $20,000; care and refurnishing White House, $35,000; fuel for White House, $6,000; care of greenhouses, $9,000; repairs to greenhouses, $3,000; maintenance of White House grounds, $4,000; policemen at White House, $40,000; secret service men, $4,000; naval yacht Mayflower, $150,000; naval yacht Sylph, $25,000; total, $472,096. And even then we have not by any means included all of the expenses which the President incurs. Perhaps the occupant of the White House costs Uncle Sam a round half million a year, if not more.

What we can do is a small thing, but we can will and aspire to great things.—John Tauler.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE TO ASSEMBLE HERE

Members of B. C. Union of Municipalities Will Gather Here Next Month

The annual meeting of the B. C. Union of Municipalities, which will again assemble for another conference in the capital city of the province on November 15, promises to be an interesting one, as the various bodies, some 50 in number, which carry on the municipal work of this province, are far from satisfied with the present Municipal Clauses Act, and want it amended.

The act has been altered and amended so much in accordance with the rapid development of the province that it is difficult for the men who are charged with the administration of the law to know where they stand. Particularly is this the case in reference to suburban municipalities on the Lower Mainland, which are handicapped by regulations framed for a rural community, and one of the principal matters in which they require additional powers is the limit of borrowing, the financial limitations being absurd under the demands for street and other improvements.

Another matter in which the opinion of the Union will probably be sought is that of the model charter for large towns, which is proposed to be drafted, and a copy submitted to the union for its consideration.

The agenda paper is being prepared, and already a number of the municipalities on the Mainland have chosen their delegates for the meeting, which will bring a number of prominent residents of the province to the city next month.

"THE STORY OF MUSIC."

Large Audience Hears Splendid Rendering of Sacred Cantata by Fine Choir.

Under the auspices of the choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, "The Story of Music," a sacred cantata was sung last night by 45 mixed voices before a large and appreciative audience. The words and music of the Biblical song were written by Colin Sterne and H. Ernest Nichol, Mus. Bac., Oxon. The cantata was designed to touch the chief incidents that were connected with music in the Holy Scripture, the first part being taken from the Old Testament and sung as follows:

Part I.

The Birth of Music—
1. Chorus.
2. Solo (baritone)—By Alfred A. Codd.
The Songs of Eden—
3. Duet—By Mrs. A. Codd and Jesse Longfield.
Jubal and Miriam—
4. Solo (tenor)—By J. O. Dunford.
5. Solo (soprano) and chorus by Mrs. Codd.
The Sweet Singer of Israel—
6. Solo—By Mr. Codd.
7. Processional march.
8. Chorus.

Part II.

Taken from the New Testament and sung as follows:
The Plains of Bethlehem—
9. Pastorale.
Tenor solo—By Mr. Dunford.
Soprano solo—By Mrs. Codd.
Chorus.
10. Trio (S. C. C.)—Mrs. Codd, Mrs. Longfield, Mrs. Blakeway.
The Song of Simeon—
11. Solo (tenor)—Mr. Dunford.
The Life That Was Music—
12. Solo—by Mrs. Codd.
Chorus.
13. Solo—By Mrs. Longfield.
14. Quartette—By Mrs. Codd, Mrs. Longfield, Mr. Dunford and Mr. Codd.
The Anthem of Eternity—
15. Chorus.
16. Duet—By Mr. Codd and Mr. Dunford.
17. Chorus.

The ladies' trio, Mrs. Codd, Mrs. Longfield and Mrs. Blakeway, singing part 10 in the second, or New Testament section, received the laurels of the evening. Mrs. Codd in her soprano obligato, "A Song to the Lord," achieved high vocal merit. Mrs. Jesse Longfield's beautiful voice was heard in her impressive rendering of "Dearest Saviour" in the second part. Mr. Codd's voice was heard to advantage all through the splendid programme, and if there was any one effort better than the others it was his solo, "The Sweet Singer of Israel." Mr. Dunford's best song proved to be the "Song of Simeon," magnificently rendered by his rich tenor voice.

At the close of the successful evening the choir assembled to partake of dainty refreshments prepared by the ladies of the choir.

RISING FOOD PRICES.

Prices of food products are soaring so fast in New York that it was freely asserted in wholesale circles that within another month the altitude record of a year ago would be exceeded and that by the first of the year the necessities of life would be out of reach of the common people. Wholesale dealers made no effort to minimize the situation. It was the most serious they said, and few had any reasonable excuse or explanation to offer. Sugar is higher than since civil war days, coffee is daily advancing, eggs and butter are already almost prohibitive, the garden variety of potatoes are selling for $4 for 165 pounds, cabbages are bringing not less than five cents a head wholesale, corn two cents an ear, Lima beans $2 a bushels, string beans $1 a bushel, onions $3 for 120 pounds, tomatoes $1 for a bushel crate, flour $5.50 and $6.50 a barrel and other necessaries in proportion. Meat products of all kinds have jumped two cents since a week ago, and the wholesalers have been told by the packers that prices are sure to go higher. Poultry of all kinds is scarce and very high.

The trouble with the unexpected is that it happens too often.

OUR LETTER BOX

MR. BUTLER ALSO.

To the Editor: In one of your issues last week I noticed a kindly article in reference to the Royal Engineers. You stated that with the demise of my father, Col. Wolfenden, Mr. Geo. Turner, C.E., of New Westminster, was to your knowledge the only one of the old sappers and miners who was still in harness. I beg to remind you that Robert Butler, of the Government Printing Office, is still hale and hearty, and is now the oldest civil servant in the province of British Columbia. He was the boy of the Royal Engineers, and held the position of bugler. Mr. Butler joined my father in the printing office about the time the first B. C. Gazette was published in 1863.

F. C. WOLFENDEN.
Armstrong, B. C., Oct. 9, 1911.

TAXATION AND VOTES.

To the Editor: Apropos your article, Taxation, I should like to say that in all my thirty odd years of wage-slavery in different parts of the British Empire, this is the only place where a man's pay envelope is violated. They certainly do things different "down under."

Also the political parties do not vie with each other as to which of them can strike the most voters off the rolls. I voted three years ago, and I think that fact should have been sufficient proof that I was not dead or not taking any interest in politics. In the middle of May last I received a letter to say that if I did not appear at the court on the 1st of April and show cause why I should not be struck off the rolls, it would be done. Such tactics I think on the part of somebody savors of cutting one's nose off to spite one's face, especially so when at the elections every vote counts. It seems strange to me that those who object to one on the rolls at the court are the very ones to worry with: "Are you on the voters' list?" It may be in the political game, but to my mind it is not common sense.

JAKEHA.

HOW EXPROPRIATION OPERATES.

To the Editor—Thanks for the publication in the Times of to-day (Oct. 11th) of my petition presented to the mayor, and council, which, although understood by them, is not plain enough for the public, so I ask you to kindly publish the following, which must necessarily be personal, although applicable to many other sufferers.

I own two lots, viz., 1245 and 1246, on Douglas street immediately above Belleville street, the civic assessment value for the present year being $10,650 for lot 1245 and $7,100 for lot 1246, making altogether $17,750. The speculative market price is said to be considerably higher. Portions of these lots are to be, by the corporation's orders, expropriated, and so the civic authorities offer me $11,000 compensation therefor, but, mark, I have to pay these $11,000 back again to the corporation at the rate of $278 per annum for fifty years, which will amount to about $14,000, but if I choose to "commute" it will be about $6,000 less. I thus stand to lose, i.e., be robbed of, $6,000 on how much more if the speculative value be considered?

It is said the remnant of the lots will be increased in value. Rubbish! The remnant will be a narrow strip of land of comparatively little value, but which nevertheless will have to bear the $278 frontage tax per annum and in addition their share of the cost of constructing the road! So I virtually have to be robbed of $17,000. How much more from a market or speculative point of view? I have no wish to sell.

I maintain that the cost of expropriation should be borne and paid for out of the civic revenue, i.e., public, whose property it will be.

J. S. HELMCKEN.
Victoria, Oct. 11, 1911.

THE PASSING SHOW

Empress Theatre.

Will Lochrane, the Scotch comedian, who, attired in kilts, is singing and telling Scotch jokes at the Empress theatre this week, has been made an hon. member of the St. Andrew's Society of Victoria, and was present at a meeting of the order this week where he was entertained and did some entertaining himself.

There is a dispute between the Scots and Lochrane. The latter says they entertained him more than he entertained them, and vice versa. The dispute will never be settled but it is a fact that the Scotchmen of the St. Andrew's Society "saw" the jokes that Lochrane told them, and the thing that made Lochrane laugh was that they did see them.

Lochrane is telling jokes that others besides Scotchmen can see—not so deep ye ken—at the Empress theatre, and the Scots of Victoria are seatholders to the limit this week.

When through laughing at Lochrane, who opens the show, they have the two singing girls to listen to, the Quinn Brothers and Miss Rosner in a dance and song act, Irene Hobson and Charles Deland in a riotous sketch and the Bailey trio of acrobats.

To-morrow evening, at the second performance, Scottish residents of the city are to attend in a body.

"In Old Kentucky."

The racing comedy "In Old Kentucky," which has already achieved a wealth of lasting successes, was presented to a Victoria audience in the opera house last night with Miss Mildred Johnson, a pleasing actress of parts, in the leading role. Romancing and racing have ever been closely allied but seldom have they been portrayed in a dramatic work with such charming effect. As Madge Brierly, the girl who substitutes the jockey of the favorite for the race that must make or mar the fortunes of her lover, Frank Laysen (so cleverly rendered by Andrew Rogers), Miss Johnson made a decided hit, carrying the audience with her enthusiasm and zealous play. A pretty interlude to the performance was the daring and singing of the little "darkies," whose sombre appearance gave the necessary local coloring to the scene of the play.

"He Came From Milwaukee."

Sam Bernard smiled into the faces of a large number of old friends and present admirers when he crossed the boards of the theatre on Tuesday evening to take the leading role in "He Came From Milwaukee," a comedy of somewhat pastoral pretensions, but containing nevertheless many humorous incidents, and offering the redoubtable Sam just the sort of opportunity he requires to display his wonderful genius in characterization.

The play is hopelessly subserviant to Sam, which is a good thing for both of them. Included in the cast was John J. Cain, who impersonated a Frenchman with duelling proclivities with such an assumption of the burlesque as caused the house to rock with the laughter of its cachinnating occupants. His duel with Bernard was delightfully refreshing, if it was not essentially instructive, and the audience manifested its appreciation most audibly. A pleasing sidelight was the clever dancing of Anna Wheaton and Billy Gaston. There was a fair attendance.



WILL LOCHRANE, AT THE EMPRESS

—The Christadelphians, having secured the Foresters hall, Broad street, for Sunday evening lectures, will (D.V.) give the first on Sunday next, October 15th, when Mr. D. Hall, Vancouver, late of Leeds, England, will speak on the subject of God's Covenant with David fulfilled with the setting up of the Kingdom of God upon the earth. Seats free. No collection.

STRIKES AND WAGES.

Keir Hardie, M. P., speaking at Cwmaman, Glamorganshire, calculated that as the result of the recent strike the wages of the working classes had increased by $52,000,000 a year, and that when the railwaymen and miners secured their minimum total, the addition would be from $75,000,000 to $100,000,000.

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Pratt's Coal Oil	1.60
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Meats.	
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	.20@ .25
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	.25@ .28
Hams (American), per lb.	.25
Bacon (American), per lb.	.25
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	.22
Beef, per lb.	.10@ .25
Pork, per lb.	.12½@ .25
Mutton, per lb.	.15@ .30
Lamb, hindquarter	2.50@ 3.00
Lamb, forequarter	1.75@ 2.00
Veal, per lb.	.10@ .20
Suet, per lb.	.15
Farm Produce.	
Fresh Island Eggs	.60
Butter, Cowichan	.55
Butter, Victoria	.50
Butter, salt Spring	.50
Butter, Eastern Townships	.35
Lard, per lb.	.20
Western Canada Flour Mills.	
Purity, per sack	1.85
Purity, per bbl.	7.25
Hungarian Flour.	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	1.85
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	7.25
Robin Hood, per sack	1.85
Robin Hood, per bbl.	7.25
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack	1.80
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per bbl.	7.10
Lake of Woods, per sack	1.85
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	7.25
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	1.85
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	7.25
Enderby, per sack	1.80
Enderby, per bbl.	7.10
Pastry Flours.	
Silver Bell	1.65
Snowflake, per sack	1.75
Snowflake, per bbl.	7.00
Vancouver Milling Co., Wild Rose	1.75
Drifted Snow per sack	1.75
Grain.	
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton	35.00@45.00
Wheat, per lb.	.02½
Barley	40.00
Whole Corn	40.00
Cracked Corn	42.00
Oats	38.00
Crushed Oats	40.00
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.	.35
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk.	.90
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk.	1.80
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 80-lb. sk.	3.50
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	.50
Oatmeal, 50-lb. sack	2.25
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs.	.65
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	.55
Wheat Flakes, per packet	.12½@ .35
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	.45
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	.50
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	1.75
Feed.	
Hay (baled), per ton	20.00@22.00
Straw, per ton	16.00
Middlings, per ton	33.00
Bran, per ton	32.00
Ground Feed, per ton	33.00
Shorts	33.00
Poultry.	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	.25@ .35
Ducks, per lb.	.25@ .30
Geese (Island), per lb.	.20@ .25
Fruit.	
Bananas, doz.	.25
Grapefruit each, 10c., or 3 for	.25
Lemons, doz.	.30@ .35
Oranges, doz.	.30@ .50
Canteloupes, each	.10@ .15
Peaches, lb.	.08
Plums, lb.	.08
Watermelons, lb.	.02½
Apples, lb.	.05@ .08
Grapes, lb.	.10@ .15
Vegetables.	
Beets, lb.	.07
Cabbage, lb.	.03
Onions, lb.	.04
Turnips, lb.	.02
Green Corn, doz.	.20
Carrots, lb.	.02
Green Peas, lb.	.06
Beans, lb.	.06
Potatoes (B. C.)	1.50
Potatoes (Island)	1.75
Fish.	
Salmon, Red Spring, lb.	.15
Salmon, White Spring, lb.	.10
Halibut (local), lb.	.15
Halibut (Vancouver), lb.	.12½
Cod, lb.	.10
Herring, lb.	.10
Finnan Haddie, lb.	.15
Bloaters, lb.	.12½
Shrimps (alive), lb.	.35
Shrimps (imported), lb.	.25
Crabs (local), lb.	.12½
Crabs (imported), lb.	.15
Oolichans (salted), lb.	.15
Salmon Bellies, lb.	.15
Flounders, lb.	.10
Soles, lb.	.15
Kippers	.12½

WHOLESALE MARKET.

Almonds, per lb	.20
Apples (local)	1.50@ 2.00
Apples, Jonathan	2.25
Alligator Pears, per doz.	3.00
Bacon	.20
Bananas	.05
Beets, per sack	2.00
Cabbage, per lb.	.01½@ .02
Cheese	.17½@ .18½
Chesnuts	.12
Creamery Butter	.30@ .31
Cucumbers (hot-house), per doz.	1.25
Canteloupes	3.00
Cauliflower, per doz.	1.50
Eggs (local)	.50
Eggs (California fresh)	.40
Eggs (Eastern)	.31@ .35
Filberts, per lb.	.07
Green Onions	.40
Grapes (Malaga)	2.00
Grapes (black)	1.50
Grapes (Tokay)	1.75
Grapefruit, per box	5.00
Hams	.20
Haddies, per lb.	.10
Huckleberries	.10
Lard	.14
Lemons	5.00@ 6.50
Lettuce, per crate	1.25
Oranges, Navel, case	4.50@ 4.75
Onions (California)	.02
Parsley	.40
Peanuts, roasted	.10
Peaches	.90@ 1.00
Pears (Bartletts)	1.75
Pomegranates	1.75
Potatoes (local)	30.00
Sweet Potatoes	.04
Turnips, per sack	1.00
Walnuts, per lb.	.16@ .21

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Carrier pigeons in China are protected from birds of prey by an apparatus consisting of bamboo tubes fastened to the birds' bodies. As the pigeon flies, the air passing through the tubes produces a shrill whistling sound, which keeps the birds of prey at a distance.

BLIZZARD RAGING THROUGH MONTANA

Snow is Piling Up in Huge Drifts and Interfering With Train Service

Salt Lake City, Utah, Oct. 12.—Dispatches received last night and this morning at the general offices of the Oregon Short Line from the company's linemen, who have been battling all day against a terrific blizzard in southwestern Montana, paint a gloomy picture of conditions in that section. Snow, wet and heavy, piling in huge drifts before fierce gales, miles of telephone and telegraph wires disarranged, poles uprooted and leveled, and light and power plants paralyzed, is the substance of the news at hand.

At Butte, Mont., the centre of the storm, the situation is believed to verge on demoralization. Streets and sidewalks have been obstructed by the unprecedented fall of snow, street car service is annulled and all business has practically been suspended. Since nine o'clock last night, when all wire communication with the city was severed, no definite word has come to indicate the real extent of the damage wrought.

However, the railroads report that the snow lies to a depth of two and a half feet on the level with the high wind causing drifts in many places to a depth of several feet.

The Short Line offices have reports to-night of delayed trains on the Pocatello, Idaho, division, but traffic generally on the line has not been seriously hampered.

COLOR LINE DRAWN.

Regina, Sask., Oct. 12.—City restaurants have decided to draw the color line, and in the future all blacks, Japanese or Chinese patrons will pay just double what their white brothers are charged. This is not a money-making venture, but a polite hint to these people that their patronage is not wanted. It is an innovation in the running of the cafes and restaurants of the city, and the experiment will be watched with interest. Should the change prove profitable the hotels will follow suit.

JOINT STOCKYARDS.

Transcontinental Lines Make Purchase in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Oct. 12.—After two years' negotiations, the three western Canadian railroads, the C. P. R., C. N. R., and G. T. P., have agreed on the purchase of 215 acres in St. Boniface, across the river from Winnipeg, on which they will proceed to erect stockyards, abattoir and cold storage warehouses, at a cost of five millions. The Manitoba government will aid to the extent of a quarter of a million dollars.

That the G. T. P. railway has no intention to negotiate further with its striking machinists and boilermakers is made evident by the insertion of large advertisements in the daily papers by the company, calling for mechanics to fill the places of strikers, and by the company continuing to ignore all requests of the men to appoint a member on the conciliation board.

MRS PANKHURST ARRIVES.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 12—Militant suffragettes here yesterday welcomed Mrs. Emeline Pankhurst, leading exponent of women suffrage in England, who arrived on the Oceanic with plans to carry the battle for the ballot into the heart of the United States. Mrs. Pankhurst said she was a bit disappointed over the situation in California. Referring to the campaign in England, she said: "We have been in a civil war there and are now only having a truce until Premier Asquith keeps his word and gives us the right to be heard in parliament.

WINNIPEG CHOSEN.

Winnipeg, Oct. 12.—C. J. Brown, city clerk, and W. F. Tallman, street commissioner, returned after attending a conference of the League of American Municipalities, held at Atlanta, and securing Winnipeg as the location for the 1913 conference. They told the delegates they would see a city in the making, and referred to the city power plant and various other phases of the city's activity. Winnipeg lost next year's convention to Buffalo by three votes.

TRIAL OF ALBERT LEON.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Albert Leon, the alleged Russian political refugee held in New York on charges of counterfeiting American ten-dollar bank and treasury notes, probably will be tried in Chicago. The spurious notes, it is claimed, were circulated in several far western cities.

TO BE PITIED

If your hair is sickly looking and faded, it has doubtless been neglected in childhood and you are to be pitied for you are suffering to-day in consequence; but it is not too late to start. If you commence now with Parisian Sage you may exterminate the persistent dandruff germ that has so long been undisturbed and is really responsible for the sickly condition of your hair and scalp. It is up to you to act before it is too late. Parisian Sage will be your best friend.

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CRIME IN EVERETT.

Everett, Wash., Oct. 12.—Three highway robberies by armed thugs, with four victims, all within a couple of hours Tuesday night and in the vicinity of this city, record Everett's carnival of crime. Two men, C. C. Arthur and John Scholberg, were wounded by the highwaymen. A masked bandit in the outskirts of the city, alone, held up and robbed a street car, obtaining about ten dollars. At about the time this affair was in progress, a man giving his name as Peter Smith was engaged in holding his hands up in the air at the request of a lone highwayman in Lowell, according to his telephoned complaint. The crimes were committed while the city was wrapped in interest over the election returns, and the rapidity with which they followed in sequence, with the widely-separated locations of the crimes, entailed an almost impossible duty on the officers in arriving at any clue. No arrests have been made.

BANKER ARRESTED.

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—Judge McInnes ordered the arrest of Bernard F. O'Neill, formerly president of the State Bank of Commerce of Wallace, Idaho. Mr. O'Neill is wanted on the charge of sending in false returns to the supervisors of the bank, which, it is alleged, show a discrepancy of nearly $100,000 in overdrafts.

J. W. DeB. Farris has been retained by the department of justice of the state of Idaho to institute extradition proceedings on the information of Sheriff John J. Nicholson of Shoshone county. S. S. Taylor, K.C., is acting for O'Neill, and it is understood that the extradition proceedings will be fought to a finish.

MURDER TRIAL.

Olympia, Wash., Oct. 12.—The state rested in the trial of George H. Wilson, the section foreman accused of the murder of Mrs. Nettie Coble and her husband at Rainier, last July. Two physicians called by the prosecution, testified that the man who committed the murder must have been insane. The defence is combatting the insanity theory. As soon as the state rested the defence sought to have stricken from the record the evidence concerning the alleged confession of Wilson. A motion was also made to have the case dismissed. Judge Mitchell, who is presiding at the trial, took the motions under advisement, and will give his decision later.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

Bellingham, Wash., Oct. 12.—Virgil Peringer, formerly prosecuting attorney for Whatcom county and at present attorney for the Bellingham Herald, yesterday filed a suit against the American Printing Company and L. H. Darwin, business manager, asking $25,000 damages. Peringer claims his reputation has been injured to that extent, because of an editorial published in the American of September 14, 1911, in which actions as a former official were criticized. The suit was filed following the refusal of the Prosecuting Attorney to issue a warrant for the arrest of Darwin on a criminal libel charge.

NEGROES LYNCHED.

Carruthersville, Mo., Oct. 12.—Two negroes, A. B. Richardson and Ben Woods, taken from the city jail here by a mob which battered down the doors, were lynched. The body of Richardson, riddled with bullets, was found yesterday floating in the Mississippi river. That Woods met a like fate is the accepted belief. Richardson, regarded as a desperate man, was locked up recently while the police were investigating several robberies. Woods was arrested Tuesday night for an attack upon two white women.

DOCKING INQUIRY.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—A general inquiry into the control by railroad companies of docking, wharf and pier facilities at various ports on the Gulf of Mexico, Mississippi and Atlantic coast, including Galveston, New Orleans, Mobile, Memphis and Philadelphia, has been instituted by the interstate commerce commission. It involves principles of vital importance to railroads and shippers.

CENSUS ANNOUNCEMENT.

Ottawa, Oct. 12.—Official census figures will not be made public until Archibald Blue, census commissioner, has had an opportunity to submit them to Mr. Martin Burrell, the new minister of agriculture. Mr. Burrell is not likely to be sworn in until early next week. The figures are not as yet quite complete, a few of the enumerators not having made their final reports.

MEXICAN REBELLION.

San Christobal, State of Chiapas, Mex., Oct. 11.—The Spaniards of this town, which is in the possession of insurgents, have sent a message to the Spanish minister at Mexico City, Bernardo Colognan, demanding that he procure protection for them and setting forth that their property and lives are dangered by undisciplined rebels.

SERIOUS DOCK FIRE.

Manchester, Eng., Oct. 11.—There was a serious fire along the bank of the Ship Canal early yesterday. It started in the tanks of the Anglo-American Oil Company, the British branch of the Standard Oil Company. Buildings and jetties on both sides of the canal were burned. The oil company's loss is estimated at $150,000.

AVIATOR FALLS AGAIN.

Bloomington, Ind., Oct. 12.—Though he had not recovered from a recent drop to earth at St. Louis, in which both legs were broken Horace Kearney, an aviator of that city, attempted an exhibition flight here yesterday, fell again and was seriously injured. He walked with a crutch when he came on the Indiana University campus to start his biplane.

A French patent covers a process for bleaching and drying seaweeds so they may be used for packing purposes.

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WHEN WAGES STAND PAT.

British Board of Trade investigations extending over four years show that, where the British workman earns a dollar, the German workman earns eighty-three cents, the French workman earns seventy-five cents, the Belgian workman sixty-three cents and the American workman two dollars and thirty-two cents; also that the food for which the British workman pays a dollar at home would cost him a dollar and seventeen cents in Germany, ninety-nine cents in France or Belgium, and a dollar and forty-three cents in the United States—where, by the way, the hours of labor are four per cent. shorter than in England.

Such is the gist of a rather celebrated report; but in this report the only workmen considered were those employed in the building, engineering and printing trades in the larger cities. Thus the American schedule starts off with city brick layers and stonemasons, working eight hours a day and earning four to five dollars a day, and winds up with city printers getting three dollars a day for eight hours' work. It is virtually limited, in short, to our best-organized high-priced labor.

As it happens, that labor is engaged in industries which have no direct interest whatever in the tariff. What protection, for example, could the tariff give a carpenter of a printer? The Bureau of Labor recently reported upon an industry that is directly interested in the tariff—namely, the steel industry. It finds that one-quarter of all the employees embraced in its investigation work eighty-four hours a week, or twelve hours daily, including Sunday; and one half of them earn less than eighteen cents an hour, or two dollars and sixteen cents for a twelve-hour day. Highly skilled employees, comprising four per cent. of the total, receive fifty cents or upward an hour. These are the ones that figure exclusively in standpat oratory.

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H. S. GRIFFITH.

In the County Court of Victoria

IN THE MATTER OF THE GOODS OF MAGNUS NELSON DECEASED —AND IN THE MATTER OF THE "OFFICIAL" ADMINISTRATOR.

Notice is hereby given that under an order made by His Honor Judge Lampman dated the 29th day of August, A. D. 1911.

I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same on or before the 17th day of October, 1911, and all parties indebted to said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith. Dated at Victoria, B. C. this 10th day of October A. D. 1911.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

NOTICE

Take notice that at the next sitting of the Board of Licencing Commissioners for the City of Victoria I intend to apply for a transfer of the liquor licence held by me for the Victoria Hotel, 1406 Government street, Victoria, B. C., to William H. Redman, of Victoria, B. C.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., Oct. 5th, 1911.

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SHARP AFTER ALL ILLEGAL SHOOTING

Duncan Residents Complain of Much Annoyance—Missing Thetis Island Men

Duncan, Oct. 10.—Five men charged with infringement of the game act appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate Maitland-Dougall on Saturday. The accused were motoring Friday in the neighborhood of Quamichan lake and were charged with trespassing and shooting over places that looked promising. The evidence was insufficient to secure conviction.

During this season this practice is becoming quite prevalent in Cowichan and is a source of annoyance to the farmers. It is the custom of these sportsmen to hire a motor and take in as much of the district as they can, shooting in many cases almost at people's doors and hurrying off in their motor when anyone approaches.

The court room was crowded and great indignation was expressed by owners of places at the actions of these would-be motor sportsmen. A similar case will come up in a day or two.

Messrs. Lambert, Harry and Heneage, of Thetis island, who spent a few days in Cowichan and attended the Cowichan fair, held in Duncan on the 23rd of last month, left for home on the Monday following. Their boat was small and the weather was heavy, and some anxiety was expressed by their friends who saw them leave from Cowichan Bay. Nothing has been heard of them since and their upturned boat has been found in the neighborhood of Burgoyne Bay. It is possible that one or more of the men may have been able to swim ashore, but it is barely probable. Search parties of Indians have been sent out. From Vancouver island to Thetis is five miles across, and they would probably hug the shore until they made the passage across. Outside the point at Cowichan Bay the currents are nasty and it is a chance if their boat survived them.

The Duncan Emergency hospital recently built has been filled to its capacity several times. Miss O'Brien has been appointed as assistant nurse to Miss Beaue, the matron. Pupil nurses have been taken in and the second floor of the building will be required for the staff. An addition to the building is being planned and will probably be built before winter.

W. Gidley, jeweller, Station street, has recently sold out to Whittaker and Jones. C. Bazette's store on Government street, has been bought by Fry and Taylor, but the business will still be in the hands of Mr. Bazette. A new garage on Government street is to be built at once by Messrs. Elliott, Le-Neven and Parry.

ANOTHER FATALITY.

Deaf and Dumb Indian Killed on the Railway Track.

Vernon, Oct. 11.—The other morning as the C. P. R. train was proceeding from Vernon to Okanagan Landing the engineer saw a man on the track about two miles from the city. He repeatedly blew his whistle, and no notice being taken of this, he put on the brakes, but could not stop the train before it hit the man. He was thrown several feet from the track, and was soon identified as a deaf and dumb Indian from Okanagan Mission, named Sol. Abraham.

An inquest was held by Coroner Morris and the following jury: H. G. Nangle (foreman), R. Fitzmaurice, S. P. Elliott, H. G. Muller, J. W. Glover and C. F. Costerton.

After hearing the evidence of the engineer, fireman and conductor, and some Indians who identified the deceased and testified that he was deaf and dumb, the jury returned the following verdict: "We find that the deceased came to his death by being struck by engine No. 440 of the C. P. R. train, running between Vernon and Okanagan Landing, about noon on Monday, October 2. Evidence having been given that the deceased was a deaf mute, and that the engineer repeatedly blew his whistle, we find that no blame can be attached to any person in charge of the train."

SPRUCE FOR OARS.

British Admiralty Place Large Orders With Queen Charlotte Firm.

Queen Charlotte, Oct. 11.—The British admiralty recently gave to the Moresby Island Lumber Company, of Queen Charlotte, an order for 200,000 feet of white spruce. The material will be used in the manufacture of oars for the rowboats of the warships.

The superior quality of the white spruce grown in the Queen Charlotte group was discovered years ago by British naval officers on the North Pacific station. This kind of lumber was found to be ideally adapted for making oars, and it is now used for that purpose in his Majesty's vessels throughout the world.

NEW QUARANTINE STATION.

Prince Rupert, Oct. 11.—William Henderson, under whose supervision the quarantine station on Digby Island is being built, was here to inspect the work. It was his first visit to Prince Rupert. From an architectural point of view he is greatly impressed; as also with what has been accomplished in city building.

The sea trip from Vancouver, Mr. Henderson thinks very fine, the scenery being much more impressive and beautiful than anything he had expected.

Work on the quarantine station on Digby Island is making good progress, and will probably be completed in one month.

—Logging rope always in stock. R. V. Winch & Co., Ltd.

ASK THAT MINORS BE BARRED FROM SALOONS

W. C. T. U. Presents Petition to the City Council of Cranbrook

Cranbrook, Oct. 11.—At last sitting of the city council there was read a requisition from the local W. C. T. U. in reference to the alleged frequenting of pool rooms and bars by minors. The requisition was presented by Mrs. A. A. Mackinnon and Mrs. Brydges.

In presenting the requisition Mrs. Mackinnon said it was the desire of the local W. C. T. U. that the city council should take steps to prohibit all minors from frequenting billard and pool rooms as well as saloons. She spoke of the pernicious influences of the pool rooms upon mere boys and expressed the opinion that the council would unanimously support them in their efforts to safeguard the youth of the city.

Ald. McNabb said he had already personally taken that matter up with the chief of police, who had informed him that he had no authority to prevent minors from frequenting pool rooms.

Mayor Hunt said the requisition of the W. C. T. U. would assuredly receive the earnest consideration of the council. Personally he had not known that minors were frequenting pool rooms, and if the council had not the power to prohibit that sort of thing, steps would be taken to secure the necessary legislation.

On motion of Ald. Jackson and Johnson the petition will be placed in the hands of the police commissioners, with a view to that body taking prompt steps to putting a stop to minors frequenting the places complained of.

ENDEAVORING TO STAVE OFF CLOSING

Nelson School Board Trying to Make Terms With Council

Nelson, Oct. 11.—Another conference between the finance committees of the school board and the city council has been held with a view to some agreement being arrived at which will prevent the threatened closing of the public and high schools which must take place unless an arrangement satisfactory to both bodies is reached.

The meeting was a private one, and no statement has been given out as to the results attained, but it is rumored that steps are being taken which may bring the difficulty temporarily to a satisfactory conclusion.

At the last meeting of the school board the finance committee of that body were given full powers to deal with the situation, and A. D. Emory and R. G. Joy, who compose this committee, immediately made arrangements for the meeting with the finance committee of the city council, which consists of Ald. Stark, Ald. Hume, Ald. Gilker and the mayor, ex officio. Wm. Irvine, chairman, and Dr. Arthur, secretary, are members, ex officio, of the school board committee.

DEVELOPING COAL MINE.

Extensive Field Believed to Be Near Royal City.

New Westminster, Oct. 11.—An extensive coal field almost at the door of the city is the dazzling prospect opened up by a transaction which has just gone through, where a company formed for the purpose has secured an option on 1500 acres at Sumas Mountain for a figure in the neighborhood of $200,000. The company in question is the Carmanah Coal Company, Ltd., of Vancouver, and the deal was put through by Mr. H. L. Edmonds, acting for a local syndicate of which he is a member.

In July, 1910, the syndicate secured a twenty-one year lease of the property, which is situated in townships 16 and 19, near Abbotsford, from the Dominion government, at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Indications found at that time and since are that coal exists in commercial quantities and of a good quality. Where the cut was made for the C. N. R. line, crossing the property, small seams have been uncovered, and the Clayburn Brick Works are at present obtaining a supply of coal from a property in the same area.

The Carmanah Coal Company will now proceed to make extensive drilling operations to confirm the well founded belief that there is a magnificent coal deposit in this vicinity, and if the anticipation proves the reality, the option will be closed and a system of coal mines rivalling the Dunsmuir properties on Vancouver Island opened up.

Associated with Mr. Edmonds in this deal is Mr. T. H. Walters of Abbotsford, in whose name the syndicate held 335 acres, making the exact acreage 1515.

RANCH CHANGES HANDS.

Nelson, Oct. 11.—In a deal closed here, the largest ranch at present operated in Kootenay by an individual changed hands when C. F. McHardy sold his well known Crescent Valley ranch to Peter Veregin, leader of the Doukhobors.

The ranch is of 1270 acres of which about 200 acres are in cultivation. Included in the deal are all Mr. McHardy's live stock and farming implements. The price was not divulged.

Mr. McHardy has developed the ranch for the past eight years and it is regarded as one of the finest properties in the Kootenays.

The property is within a short distance of the big Doukhobor settlement at Brilliant and, it is understood, will be operated by members of that colony.

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Willows Crescent, close to exhibition grounds, lot 55x100; $200 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months, at 7 per cent. Price $630

ACREAGE.

2¼ Acres on Cedar Hill Rd., on a corner, commanding an excellent view; beautiful residential site; ¼ cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price. $2000

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282 Acres on Galiano Island, 50 acres partly cleared, good bottom land with a million and a half feet of timber; 7-room house, outhouses, etc.; fruit trees, plenty of good water; only 2 miles from boat landing; excellent fishing and shooting; $2000 cash, balance arranged. Price $6,500

BUSINESS.

Pandora Street, close to Government, 30x57½, double frontage, ¼ cash. Price per foot $700

Johnson Street, just west of Douglas, 60x60; ¼ cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years, at per front foot.....$1,000

DWELLINGS.

Oak Bay Ave., 5-roomed modern Cottage and lot, 100x100; ¼ cash, balance 7 per cent. Price $5,300

Fairfield Estate, just off car line, 5-room cottage and lot 50x120, fruit trees, etc.; $600 cash, balance to suit at 7 per cent. Price $2100

Victoria West, 7-room new house and lot 50x120; $700 cash, balance arranged on easy terms. Price $4200

James Bay, close to Beacon Hill Park, 7-room modern dwelling, and a corner lot 60x140; 1-3 cash, balance one and two years at 7 per cent. Price is $6000

Hillside Avenue, 7-room house and lot 30x120; 1-3 cash, balance 7 per cent. Price.. .....$3,000

Chapman Street, 5-room new modern bungalow and lot 40x135, to a lane, close to Linden; $500 cash, balance $25 per month at 7 per cent. Price is $3400

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Cedar Hill Road, near Haultain Street, good lot for $950

Superior Street, lot 60x120 .....$2100

Steele Street, between Douglas and Burnside, 2 lots for $1850

Blackwood Street, lot 50x120 .....$1050

Blackwood Street, fine level lot, 50x135. Price $1075

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Three Fine Lots on Princess Avenue, close in, 50x132. Terms good. Price each $1,600

Green Street, close to Blanchard, good warehouse site, with 91 foot frontage $6,000

West Saanich, 98 acres, 5-room House, orchards and outbuildings. Good for mixed farming. Terms.....$40,000

Colwood, close to railway, 2-acre blocks for sale, suitable for chicken ranches $600

A. H. HARMAN
1317 Broad Street.

Having occasion to make a trip to the Old Country I take this opportunity of informing my clients and others of the fact, and that I shall return on October 31, 1911.

Thanking for past favors,
A. H. HARMAN.

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Belcher Street, 8-room House, modern, lot 60x120. A nice home, close in. Price $5775

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Oak Bay, 5-room House in good locality, all modern conveniences, lot 50x120; $900 cash will handle. Price is.. .....$3500

Michigan Street, 8-room House, close to two car lines, large lot, 60x280. A good buy on very easy terms, at the price of $6800

Oak Bay, Golf Links Subdivision. We have a few lots here priced very much under present market values.

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Corner Denman and Victor Sts., good Lot, on easy terms, for.....$700

Kelvin Road, small cottage, with large lot, for $1250

Five-roomed modern Cottage in good location; $500 cash, balance on easy terms, for $2950

YOUNG MINER SUICIDES.

Andrew Beveridge, Extension, Ends His Life.

Nanaimo, Oct. 12.—Andrew Beveridge, a young man residing at Extension, B. C., committed suicide Tuesday evening in his cabin at that place by placing the muzzle of a revolver to his right temple, pulling the trigger and sending a bullet through his brain. Despondency is mentioned as the cause of his act.

Beveridge, who was a native of Scotland and but 21 years of age, has been a resident of this district for a short time. He was employed in the Extension mines up to the 13th of last month, when he left his employment, since which time he has been in a more or less despondent state of mind. Shortly after supper Tuesday evening Beveridge wrote two letters, posted them, returned to the cabin and for several minutes took part in a conversation with his batching partner, Geo. Mitchell, and a friend, Sidney Gordon.

Leaving the two in the kitchen, Beveridge walked into an adjoining room, and shortly afterwards Mitchell and Gordon heard a shot. Entering the room whence the report came, they found the body of Beveridge lying across the bed, his hand still clutching the smoking weapon, and terrible wounds in the head, life being extinct.

Dr. Fowler, of Extension, notified Mr. John Shaw, of this city, who was acquainted with deceased. Mr. Shaw made arrangements to have the body removed to Nanaimo, where it now lies, pending funeral arrangements which are being made.

VICAR-GENERAL.

Nelson, Oct. 11.—A notable visitor at the rectory of the Church of Mary Immaculate during last week was his Grace the Most Rev. Neil McNeil, archbishop of Vancouver. The many friends of Rev. Father Althoff, as well as the members of his parish, will be pleased to learn that his grace has conferred upon him the title and honors of vicar-general of the archdiocese.

—The "Orb" rubber football is for sale at the Victoria Sporting Goods Co., Pemberton Block.

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

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Candidates must be between the ages of 14 and 16 years on the 1st of January next; must be British subjects and must have resided, or their parents must have resided in Canada for two years immediately preceding the examination; short periods of absence abroad for purpose of education to be considered as residence.

Successful candidates will join the Royal Naval College at Halifax in January next; the course at the College is two years and the cost to parents, including board, lodging, uniform and all expenses, is approximately $400 for the first year and $250 for the second year.

On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen, and will receive pay at the rate of $2 per diem.

Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.

Unauthorized publication of this notice will not be paid for.

G. J. DESBARATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service.
Department of the Naval Service,
Ottawa, August 1st, 1911.

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SAILS WITH LARGE CARGO OF FREIGHT

Prince George Clears for Rupert—Has Few Passengers—Venture Leaving

Laden with nearly one hundred and fifty tons of supplies for Prince Rupert, to be shipped to inland points, and a fair passenger list, the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince George (Capt. Frank Saunders), left port this morning for the north. Supplies for the inland towns are now being rushed to the coast cities in large quantities on all the northbound steamers. The people who dwell far away from the coast desire to get their winter supplies in before the snow falls.

The list of passengers from this port was smaller than usual. Those joining the vessel here were as follows: Wm. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stewart, W. H. Dempster, Mrs. Elvoy, J. C. Boyd and C. H. Dickey. Northern travel is showing a decline, the tourist travel being practically over for this season. From Seattle the George had about twenty passengers and she will pick up a considerable number at Vancouver before sailing to-night.

After being off the northern run for nearly two weeks, the Boscowitz steamer Venture (Capt. Morehouse) will leave port at 11 o'clock to-night for British Columbia points. On returning from Esquimalt, where she underwent repairs, the vessel commenced yesterday to load a cargo of general freight for the north. She will clear from here with much merchandise and a number of passengers. The Venture looks spic and span after her lie up.

Officials of the C. P. R. are expecting the Princess Royal, (Capt Locke), in port this afternoon from Skagway and Prince Rupert. She is coming south with a large passenger list.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

October 11.

Hull — Arrived: Centurion, San Francisco.

Punta Arenas—Sailed: Seraphis, Hamburg.

San Francisco, Cal. — Arrived: Steamers Northland, Columbia River; G. C. Lindauer, Gray's Harbor; barque Bidart, Rotterdam. Sailed: Steamers Lurline, Honolulu; China, Hongkong; Jim Butler, Everett; Brooklyn, Bandon.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Steamers Hornet, San Francisco; Governor, San Francisco. Sailed: French barque Francois, United Kingdom.

Portland, Ore.—Arrived: Steamer Falcon, San Francisco. Sailed: Steamer George W. Elder, San Diego and way ports: British steamer Oswestry, Shanghai.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Steamers Prince George, Prince Rupert; Governor, Sound ports; Northland, Tacoma. Sailed: Steamers Prince George, Portland Canal; Northland, Tacoma; Buckman, Tacoma; Santa Ana, Southwestern Alaska.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Point Grey.—Clear; wind S. E., light; thick seaward; 29.93; 47; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo.—Overcast; calm; thick seaward; 29.95; 45; sea smooth. Spoke, A. G. Lindsay, at 6 miles from here southbound, at 6:30 a. m.

Tatoosh.—Cloudy; wind N. E., 33 miles; 29.85; 51; sea moderate. Out, a vessel towing at 7:25 p. m., steamer Loop, at 6:10 a. m.

Pachena.—Cloudy; wind S. E., light; misty seaward; 29.61; 49; sea moderate.

Estevan.—Cloudy; wind S. E.; 29.46; 48; light swell. Spoke Tees at 3:15 a. m., leaving Kyuquot.

Triangle.—Foggy; rain; wind S. E., 32 miles; 29.00; 44; dense seaward. Spoke Empress of Japan at midnight; position lat. 50.08 north, long. 144.30 west; arrive quarantine at 8 o'clock on Saturday morning.

Ikeda.—Overcast; wind S. E., light; 29.56; 51; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert.—Cloudy; calm; 29.78; 48; sea moderate. Spoke Alemeda at 9:50 p. m. off here northbound.

Dead Tree Point.—Overcast; wind S. E., light; light swell.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; thick seaward; 29.86; 56; sea smooth.

Capt Lazo—Foggy; wind S. E., light; 29.90; 49; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind N. E., 28 miles; 29.86; 54; sea moderate; out, steamer Greywood at 7.50 a.m.; barque Francis d'Amboise at 11.25 a.m.; in, steamer Acilia at 9.25 a.m.

Pachena—Clear; calm; wind S. E., light; 29.55; 53; sea moderate.

Estevan—Foggy; wind S. E.; 29.38; 54; sea moderate.

Triangle—Misty; overcast; wind S. E., 34 miles; 29.01; 49; sea rough.

Ikeda—Overcast; wind S. E.; 29.35; 53; sea moderate.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.56; 46; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; wind S. E., strong; sea moderate.

SEALERS HOMEWARD BOUND FROM BERING

Latest Advices Show Bayard With Best Catch—Has 606 Seal Skins and 7 Otters

Homeward bound after a cruise of the north Pacific extending over a period of six months are the schooners of the Victoria sealing fleet. All the vessels are heading this way from Behring Sea with large catches and it is expected that last year's returns will be eclipsed. The owners of the different ships expect that the first of the schooners should arrive here about the end of the month. Now that they are on their way home the sailor's will crowd every stitch of canvas on the vessels' masts as there is keen rivalry as to which of the vessels will be the first to put in an appearance.

According to advices which have been received here by the owners, from English Bay, Alaska, where the vessels put in for water, the catches of the four schooners are as follows; Thomas F. Bayard, (Capt. Blackstad), 606 seal skins and 7 sea otters up to August 20; Pescawha, (Capt. Balcom), 570 seal skins up to August 17; Jesse, (Capt. Geo. Heater), 400 seal skins and the Lady Mine, (Capt. Delouchry), 350 skins. The dates of the arrival of the last two vessels was not given in the reports.

It was over two months, however, when the vessels reported their catches and they were just entering the Behring Sea to commence chasing the fur bearing animals. In the meantime no doubt the schooners have greatly augmented their catches and will return to Victoria with exceptionally valuable cargoes. The total catch would have been considerably larger had the schooner Umbrina, (Capt. Folger), not been lost at sea. It will be remembered that while she was hunting off the California coast one of the American colliers crashed into her during a dense fog and sank her.

First of the vessels to leave this port was the Pescawha, which sailed shortly after Christmas of last year. She has been about nine months on the trail of the seals but has not been nearly so successful as the Bayard, which left port two months later. The Jessie and Lady Mine both cleared towards the end of March and their catches are fairly good. The Thomas F. Bayard has by far the richest cargo, having captured besides her 606 seals, seven sea otters, which are exceedingly valuable.

When the schooners got away from Victoria they headed for the Californian coast and followed the seals northward. All of the vessels carried Indian hunters with the exception of the Pescawha, which carried the native hunters and as the owners of the Pescawha wished to get their vessel at the hunting grounds as quickly as possible, they shipped a white crew.

The Lady Mine, which from the reports, had the smallest catch, is on her first sealing cruise. Shortly before the season opened she was purchased from the San Francisco pilotage and brought here by Capt. Geo. Heater. She is the smartest vessel of the fleet and can show a clean stern to any of the other ships in regard to sailing.

The sealers generally return home with all kinds of hard luck and their celebrated fish stories.

UNABLE TO DOCK OWING TO FOGS

INABA MARU COMES TO ANCHORAGE IN STRAITS

Steamship Reaches Quarantine Last Evening but Did Not Dock Until This Morning

So dense was the pall of fog which hung over the Straits last evening, that the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Inaba Maru (Capt. Tominaga), from Yokohama, had to drop her mud-hook in the vicinity of Albert Head and remain at anchor until 1 o'clock this morning, when the weather cleared off sufficiently to permit the docking of the big steamship. The Maru reached William Head at 6 o'clock last evening and after being inspected headed for the outer wharf with Capt. Newby on her bridge as pilot. It was expected by the waiting that she would be at the dock inside of an hour and a half, but they were doomed to disappointment.

At frequent intervals the deep whistle of the Inaba Maru could be heard a considerable distance off and it was answered by a hand fog alarm on the dock. Those on the steamship were unable to pick up the sound from the horn and about 7.20 o'clock the Maru discontinued her whistling and it was presumed by the shipping men, who patiently awaited her arrival, that she had gone to an anchorage. Shortly afterwards a wireless message was flashed from the ship to the Gonzales station stating that she had dropped anchor and would await the lifting of the fog.

About the time the steamship was on her way up to the docks from quarantine the fog was exceedingly thick. Early this morning the mist began to lift and Capt. Newby weighed anchor and brought the vessel up to the wharf. She was cleared shortly before 7 o'clock and an extra large gang of stevedores was engaged to discharge the local cargo so that the vessel might get away for the Sound as soon as possible.

Coming up the straits yesterday afternoon Capt. Tominaga states the fog was very thick and delayed the ship a little in arriving at the Head. Light fogs were also experienced a few days before sighting the shores of Vancouver Island. The greater part of the trip was accomplished in fine weather, favorable winds being encountered and the seas were never high.

All the first and second class accommodation aboard the Inaba was taken and the steerage was well filled. Among the saloon passengers were: Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Knight, missionaries from Shanghai, accompanied by their two children; Miss L. M. Spiese, missionary from Shanghai; Rev. and Mrs. Magnuson, missionaries from Kobe; E. Rickmers, Mrs. M. B. Lewis and daughter, Mrs. M. Gubbay, Mr. and Mrs. Doland, H. Goto, and Y. Matsubara. As steerage for Victoria the Maru had 20 Japanese, 80 Chinese and one Russian, and for Seattle 43 Japanese, 4 Chinese and one American.

Nearly three thousand five hundred tons of general freight was brought across the Pacific by the steamship, including 500 tons for Victoria. Among the cargo was an additional consignment of 2398 packages? of Japanese bulbs for Victoria gardens. The rest of the cargo was as follows: Rice, 2125 bags; tea, 200 packages; peanuts, 200 bags; sugar, 1150 sacks, and general merchandise, 1949 sacks.

The Maru left port for Seattle at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

From the Orient.

Empress of Japan	Oct. 14
Mexico Maru	Oct. 18
Sado Maru	Oct. 26
Kumeric	Nov. 1

From Australia.

Zealandia	Oct. 17

From Liverpool.

Cyclops	Oct. 28

From Mexico

Henley	Oct. 28

From Antwerp.

Director	Oct. 30

For the Orient.

Seattle Maru	Oct. 14
Empress of Japan	Oct. 17
Inaba Maru	Oct. 24

For Mexico.

Lonsdale	Oct. 15

For Liverpool.

Bellerophon	Nov. 1
Zealandia	Nov. 1

COASTWISE STEAMERS.

From San Francisco.

City of Puebla	Oct. 19
Queen	Oct. 2?

From Northern B. C. Ports.

Prince Rupert	Oct. 15
Princess Beatrice	Oct. 18
Prince George	Oct. 18
Vadso	Oct. 18

From Skagway

Princess May	Oct. 19

From the West Coast.

Tees	Oct. 13

For San Francisco.

Umatilla	Oct. 18
City of Puebla	Oct. 25

For Skagway.

Princess Royal	Oct. 13

For Northern B. C. Ports.

Prince Rupert	Oct. 16
Prince George	Oct. 19
Venture	Oct. 26

For the West Coast.

Tees	Oct. 14

For Nanaimo.

Princess Mary	Oct. 17

For East Coast.

Queen City	Oct. 17

Cable advices received here yesterday state that the new Union Steamship Company's steamer Chelohsin sailed from Belfast, Ireland, on Monday last. It is expected that the vessel will be here about the end of December.

MANNING COMPLETES 13,000 MILE CRUISE

U. S. Revenue Cutter Reports Prevalence of Dreaded Diseases Among Alaskans

Port Townsend, Wash., Oct. 12.—Completing a cruise of nearly 13,000 miles, the United States revenue cutter Manning (Capt. K. W. Perry), arrived last evening from Unalaska, making the run in the record time of six days and five hours. The Manning sailed for Behring Sea on April 17 and before entering on patrol duty, made an extended cruise among the Aleutian Islands, looking after the welfare of the natives.

A majority of the natives are in a pitiful condition, as a result of the prevalence of disease due to the scarcity of food. In nearly all of the settlements visited the surgeon found the natives afflicted with various ailments, including trachoma, which is increasing to an alarming extent. His report to the department will show that the various tribes will soon become extinct unless the government takes immediate action by furnishing them with medical attention and food.

During the season there were about 25 Japanese and four Canadian sealing schooners in Behring Sea, but no Americans. All made good catches. There were few violations of the law reported. Three Japanese who landed on St. George Island were arrested and sentenced to six months in jail, but before their sentences expired they were deported on a Japanese sealing schooner homeward bound. Four Japanese who were caught sealing within the three-mile limit are now serving time in the Valdez jail.

Just before the Manning sailed south, the Bear completed a cruise to the Arctic Ocean, going as far north as Point Barrow. The invariable experience of revenue cutters and all other vessels has been to encounter great fields of ice this year, but the Bear met no ice.

SLACK WATER—ACTIVE PASS.

October, 1911.

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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight.

China produces more silk than any other country, but consumes the greater proportion at home.

ESTABLISHES RECORD FOR NORTH PACIFIC

Wireless Station at Astoria Speaks Mexico Maru 3,200 Miles From Coast

What is credited as being the record long distance wireless message of the North Pacific was made by the station at Astoria, Ore., last Monday night. The operator at the American station picked up the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Mexico Maru, which is due to arrive here next Thursday, 3,200 miles at sea. Her position was as follows: Lat. 47.3 north and long. 177.48 east, which is off the far western group of the Aleutian Islands.

The operator could clearly hear the sounds and her master reported all well. The Estevan station has spoken vessels at distances of 2,000 miles from this coast, but the record of the Astoria station is a splendid performance.

Another wireless was received here this morning from the R.M.S. Empress of China, in which her skipper stated that the white liner would be at William Head on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock. None of the stations have yet got into communication with the Canadian-Australian liner Zealandia, Capt. Phillips, which is due here on Tuesday afternoon of next week.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, October, 1911.

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9	4 10	7.2	9 28	5.1	15 05	8.0	22 16	2.2
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The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of the lowest low water in each month of the year. This level is half a foot lower than the datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.

MARINE NOTES.

At the auction sale held yesterday by Stewart Williams the little steamer Tasmanian was purchased by Captain Jacobsen for $200. Few bidders attended with the result that the craft was disposed of at a low figure.

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The four-masted schooner Oliver J. Olson, lumber-laden, Gray's Harbor to Guaymas, was blown ashore at Cape Falco, Lower California, during the recent hurricane in southern water, according to advices received at 'Frisco yesterday by the owners, Olson and Mahoney. Captain C. C. Stream and his crew of ten men escaped, but the vessel is a total loss according to the captain's report. No details of the wreck were received but it is understood that she encountered the same storm which forced the Panama liner Panama to return to port recently. The Olson was a 667 tons steamer, built at Aberdeen, Wash., in 1900. No estimate of the value of the cargo was given.

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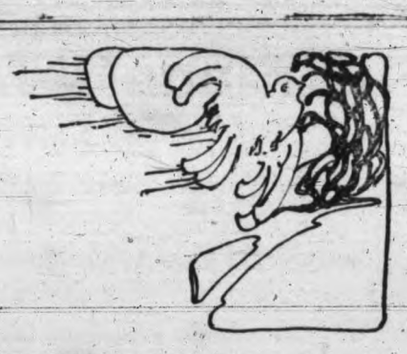
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Let one other important point be emphasized: the extreme exploitation of any idea in dress is in very bad form. Do not wear crepe too conspicuously or in overabundance; let the black-bordered kerchief be dainty and not obtrusive, and remember that there are blacks and blacks, and that some black gowns are decidedly not for mourning. Be guided by a conservative eye and a sense of the eternal fitness of things.

The best in hat and veil is before you. The round shape, not too large, not too extreme, is of grosgrain and covered with milliner's folds of crepe. Black net and crepe are wound around the crown and knotted at the front. The scarf finishes in two crepe-bordered ends that nowadays answer the purpose of the heavy mourning veil. It need not be worn over the face.



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For afternoon, a dignified dress of crepe de chine is pictured. The yoke and collar are of black chiffon, and dull black lace forms a subyoke. A single rever swings over one side, while a curved bias band is brought over the shoulder and hooked at the front. The long tunic is slashed at the side and the underskirt is ornamented with mourning beads, as are the revers and cuffs.

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Miss Bertha Shorrey has as guest Mrs. C. Macpherson of Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. Evans are spending their honeymoon at Shawnigan Lake.

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J. P. Ford, provincial engineer, is making an official tour of Kootenay.

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Major Wilson and John Cotton of Brighton, England, are on a visit to Victoria.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon have returned to Victoria after a delightful European trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clement, from the provincial interior, are in town for a few days.

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Mr. H. E. Watson, M.P.P., is registered at the Empress from Vancouver for a few days.

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Mrs. Dixon of 1127 Richardson street, will not receive until the second Friday in November.

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W. J. Armstrong has been called to the city from Kamloops by the severe illness of his father.

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Miss E. H. Jones received yesterday afternoon, the first "at home" since going to the Nursing Home.

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The Misses Helen and Maggie Melville of Vancouver, are visiting friends in the city for a few days.

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Mrs. Hickey and her daughters, Miss Hickey and Mrs. A. W. Harvey, are at Glencoe Lodge, Vancouver, for a month.

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H. H. Stevens, M.P.-elect of Vancouver, returns to his home to-day after a few days spent here on affairs of his constituency.

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Messrs. E. H. Watson, E. D. Horssall, J. G. Brady and — Barridale have been the Victoria visitors in Kamloops during the week.

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E. M. Sandilands, gold commissioner at Jedway, Q. C. I., is spending a few days in Victoria on his way back to his field of duty.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLean and Miss McLean have returned from an extended trip through England, France and the Holy Lands.

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Mrs. H. B. MacLean of 1443 Grant avenue, is receiving this afternoon and on the second Thursday of the month during the winter season.

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Mrs. Fred. C. Beckett will be "at home" on the second and third Thursdays of the month at her home, "Enidene," 1560 Pandora street.

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E. M. Robison of New York city, is expected in Victoria in a few days to confer with the directorate of the Y. M. C. A. on the boys' work.

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A. C. Flumerfelt has returned to the city after entertaining his fellow-directors and the heads of the Eastern Township Banks at Vancouver.

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Mrs. Charles Holmes is receiving tomorrow and on each second Friday in the month during the winter season, at her home, 548 Niagara street.

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H. A. Featherstone, teller at the Merchants' Bank in Chilliwack, has been transferred to another bank of that well known financial institution.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Hoster are leaving for Portland and San Francisco, and thence to their home in New York. Mr. Hoster is a Hearst representative.

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Albert Groll, the well known artist from New York, who has been spending the summer among the beautiful Canadian mountains, has returned to his home.

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Lewis Smith, recently a visitor in the city, was called back to his home in London, Ontario, by the illness of his sister. He intends to return to Victoria as soon as possible.

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Mrs. Bretts of this city, was honored at a bridge party given by Mrs. W. P. Roberts in Vancouver. Mrs. Brett is visiting her many friends in that city and is being delightfully entertained.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Alder have returned to their new home in Prince Rupert. Mr. Alder is much interested in the development of the new town, the terminal of the G. T. P. railroad.

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Lord Desborough, with the Duke of Sutherland and party, have gone to the Cariboo country in search of big game. The Lord of Desborough has recently been a guest in Victoria and was accompanied away on his trip by John Hopp, well known around Barkerville and the Cariboo country.

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Mrs. McTavish of Heywood avenue, was hostess at a delightful tea yesterday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. McTavish, nee Miss Craig, recently married in Prince Rupert. The home was artistically and beautifully decorated with greens and autumn flowers, and a large number of ladies came in for tea.

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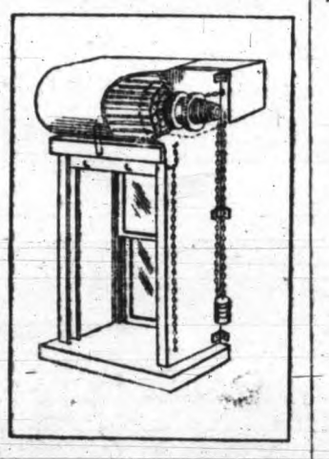
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FIREPROOF SHUTTER.

Pulled Down Over the Window, It Proves Bar to Flames.

A fireproof shutter that doubtless should prove a valuable addition to factory buildings has been patented by a Canadian. The shutter is made of a number of tubes of some noncombustible material arranged so as to roll over a reel at the top of the window, like the lid of a roll-top desk. The shutter is normally held in place rolled up by the means of a weight on the end of



a chain, but when the weight is removed, as can quickly be done from the outside, it falls into position inside the window frame of its own weight and effectually bars the passage of flames, either from the inside out or the outside in. It is designed, however, to permit the passage of heated air, as there are ventilating apertures along the window frame by which the heated air in the tubes of the shutters may escape, so that the atmosphere inside the building does not become suffocating.

WOMAN ON THE JURY.

Vancouver, Wash., Oct. 12.—The trial of Charles W. Hammond, charged with murder in the first degree in connection with the death of Edward C. Barhydt, on Bell's mountain, on May 31, 1911, began in the Superior court here yesterday. Mrs. Ellen Knight, the first woman in the state of Washington to sit as a juror in a murder trial, was the lone jurywoman to sit in the case, the other 11 jurors being men. Mrs. Annie Bowes was appointed by Judge McMaster as special woman bailiff to take charge of Mrs. Knight when she is not hearing the trial.

T. W. Barhydt, a brother of the dead man, a resident of Pasadena, has retained a local legal firm to assist Fred. W. Tempes, county attorney, in the trial.

Hammond is charged with having slain Barhydt for the purpose of robbery. Mrs. Knight is the wife of Charles Knight, who had charge of the Clarke county exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle. She is prominent in Vancouver society, and is an enthusiastic suffragist.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

"We are going to have a whist party at our house to-night," announced the bright little girl.

"Isn't that nice," said I. "And I suppose you'll sit up to see the company?"



"Oh, my yes," said the bright little girl. "And I'm going to play, too. That is if someone doesn't come and there is an extra place. You know," with an elaborately confidential air, "I really play better than mother does, but some people are queer about not liking to play whist with children, no matter how smart they are, father says, so I'm only going to fill in."

The bright little girl is going on twelve.

She is a remarkably bright little girl. She would be also a remarkably pleasing little girl if it were not that she so frequently mirrors the fulsome flattery of her adoring parents in ways like the above.

Of course my first feeling was one of dislike and antagonism towards this priggish little peacock.

But my sober second thought was pity for her.

Poor little girl. She was only mirroring the bombastic opinion of herself which her parents continually held before her. It is the most natural thing in the world that she should. She can hardly help it any more than a mirror can help giving back the image of what is held before it.

But just think of all the dislike and ridicule and antagonism she is going to bring down on herself.

Truly, I think such parents are almost as guilty of cruelty to children and as fit subjects for the society with the long name as the parents who beat their little ones.

For I don't think that actual beating could cause much more suffering than the attitude into which her parents have gotten her is going to cause this bright little girl.

It is so easy to let a bright child see that you consider it a very marvellous creature with whom the rest of the world is scarcely fit to associate.

It is so hard to keep your pride in its wonderful wit and precocity and beauty to yourself.

But if whenever parents are tempted to be careless in this regard they would stop and think of the inevitable unhappiness they are preparing for their children it doesn't seem to me they would take "the easiest way."

Wit and precocity and beauty are all nothing unless they bring what most of us want more than anything else on earth—love and popularity.

And if you neutralize them with a bombastic self-conceit they will not bring those precious boons.

Just think of that the next time you want to tell your bright little girl that she plays whist better than her mother and that grownup folks are queer not to want to play with her or whatever the particular dose of flattery you are inclined to administer happens to be.

Ruth Cameron



MODISH SILK BLOUSE.

Our sketch suggests a delightful model for a silk bodice. It is without trimming of any sort save a narrow running of silk braid down each side of front, and around neck and sleeves. This design would also work out well in voile or cashmere.

ECONOMICAL HOBBLES.

Makers Denounce Skirt Which Takes Five Yards Instead of Twelve.

A somewhat amusing "woe" is voiced by the Chamber of Commerce of Parare, a silk and cotton manufacturing town in the Rhone Department, which has called on the French Government, it is stated this week, to contrive that women shall wear wider skirts.

The chamber points out that a modern dress only requires about five to seven yards of material, as compared with the twelve to fourteen yards necessary two years ago, and adds that petticoats, after having been similarly reduced in volume, are now no longer worn. Thus the sale of thousands of yards of material has been prevented. The situation in the trade is declared to be critical, for unemployment, following a period of over-production, is general.

The chamber expresses the hope that government intervention will lead the great dressmakers to direct their activity towards evolving new models which, while becoming, will need more material.

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Confession of Thirty-Year Career of Fraudulent Imposition on Public

Douglas Blackburn writes to the London Daily News, under the heading: "Confessions of a Telepathist—30-Year Hoax Exposed," as follows:

For nearly thirty years the telepathic experiments conducted by Mr. G. A. Smith, and myself have been accepted and cited as the basic evidences of the truth of Thought Transference.

Your correspondent, "Inquirer," is one of many who have pointed to them as a conclusive reply to modern sceptics. The weight attached to those experiments was given by their publication in the first volume of the proceedings of the Society for Psychical Research, vouched for by Messrs. F. W. H. Myers, Edmund Gurney, Frank Podmore, and later and inferentially by Professor Henry Sidgewick, Professor Romanes, and others of equal intellectual eminince. They were the first scientifically conducted and attested experiments in Thought Transference, and later were imitated and reproduced by "sensitives" all the world over.

I am the sole survivor of that group of experimentalists and as no harm can be done to anyone, but possible good to the cause of truth, I, with mingled feelings of regret and satisfaction, now declare that the whole of those alleged experiments were bogies, and originated in the honest desire of two youths to show how easily men of scientific mind and training could be deceived when seeking for evidence in support of a theory they were wishful to establish.

The genesis of the matter was in this wise. In the late seventies and early eighties a wave of so-called occultism passed over England. Public interest became absorbed in the varied alleged phenomena of spiritualism, mesmerism and thought reading "professors" of the various branches abounded, and Brighton, where I was editing a weekly journal, became a happy hunting ground for mediums of every kind. I had started an exposure campaign, and had been rather successful. My great score being the first to detect the secret of Irving Bishop's thought-reading. In 1882 I encountered Mr. G. A Smith, a youth of 19, whom I found giving a mesmeric entertainment. Scenting a fraud, I proceeded to investigate, made his acquaintance, and very soon realized that I had discovered a genius in his line. He has since been well known as a powerful hypnotist. He was also the most ingenious conjurer I have met outside the profession. He had versatility of an Edison in devising new tricks and improving on old ones. We entered into a compact to "show up" some of the then flourishing professors of occultism, and began by practising thought-reading. Within a month we were astonishing Brighton at bazaars and kindred chafity entertainments, and enjoyed a great vogue. One of our exhibitions was described very fully and enthusiastically in "Light," the spiritualistic paper, and on the strength of that the Messrs. Myers, Gurney and Podmore called on us and asked for a private demonstration. As we had made a strict rule never to take payment for our exhibitions, we were accepted by the society as private unpaid demonstrators, and as such remained during the long series of seances.

A description of the codes and methods of communication invented and employed by us to establish telegraphic rapport would need more space than could be spared. Suffice it that, thanks to the ingenuity of Smith, they became marvellously complete. They grew with the demands upon them.

Starting with a crude set of signals produced by the jingling of pince-nez, sleeve links, long and short breathings, and even blowing, they developed to a degree little short of marvellous. To this day no conjurer has succeeded in approaching our great feat, by which Smith, scientifically blindfolded, deafened, and muffled in two blankets, reproduced in detail an irregular figure drawn by Mr. Myers, and seen only by him and me.

I say boldly that Messrs. Myers and Gurney were too anxious to get corroboration of their theories to hold the balance impartially. Again and again they gave the benefit of the doubt to experiments that were failures. They allowed us to impose our own conditions, accepted without demur our explanations of failure, and, in short, exhibited a complaisance and confidence which, however complimentary to us, was scarcely consonant with a strict investigation on behalf of the public.

Smith and I by consistant practice, became so sympathetic that we frequently brought off startling hits, which were nothing but flukes. The part that fortuitous accident plays in this business can only be believed by those who have become expert in the art of watching for and seizing an opportunity. When these hits were made, the delight of the investigators caused them to throw off their caution and accept practically anything we offered.

I am aware it may be reasonably objected that the existence of a false coin does not prove the non-existence of a good one. My suggestion as the result of years of observation is that the majority of investigators and reporters in psychical research lack that accurate observation and absence of bias which are essential to rigorous and reliable investigation. In fine, I gravely doubt not the bona fides, but the capacity, of the witnesses. I could fill columns telling how, in the course of my later investigations on behalf of the Society for Psychical Research, I have detected persons of otherwise unimpeachable rectitude touching up and redressing the weak points in their narratives of telepathic experiences.

At the risk of giving offence to some I feel bound to say that in the vast majority of cases that I have investigated the principals are either blassed in favor of belief in the supernatural or not persons whom I should regard as accurate observers and capable of estimating the rigid mathematical form of evidence. What one desires to believe requires little corroboration. I shall doubtless raise a storm of protest when I assert that the principal cause of belief in psychic phenomena is the inability of the average man to observe accurately and estimated the value of evidence, plus a bias in favor of the phenomena being real. It is an amazing fact that I have never yet, after hundreds of tests found a man who could accurately describe ten minutes afterwards a series of simple acts which I performed in his presence.

BRYANT'S UNPUBLISHED POEM

An unpublished poem of William Cullen Bryant came to light when Mrs. Elizabeth Mumford presented twenty autographed letters to the South Pasadena public library. The verse, which was found in a letter sent by the poet to Mrs. Mumford more than twenty years ago, is as follows:

"There's a dance of the leaves in the poplar boughs,
There's a flutter of wind in the beechen tree,
There's a smile on the fruit and a smile on the flower,
And a laugh from the brook as it runs to me."

WOMEN IN NOVELS.

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The man must have health and strength—these are more than looks now—with all the qualities of mind and character necessary for life's battle, and just sufficient faults to bring out the self-sacrificing virtues of the women in his world. Above all, he must have quiet determination and readiness to grasp a situation which will make him as a rock of reliance in time of danger. Also he must have a fineness of intuition able to sympathize with her of his choice when she is weary, worried with the round of duties, or ill. Then he will be as a god in her eyes; she will hope that many men will read, mark, and inwardly digest.

There is always a weak spot in a woman reader's heart for the wrong-doer of the novel, if he has gentlemanly instincts. Sailors, soldiers, struggling artists, and musicians are her favorites—their wives and sweethearts are called upon to endure much. Lately there has been a tendency for an ordinary business man to occupy these envied places in the world of imaginary men and women—with success; though not by any means success quite assured as yet.

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A plan of the said proposed wharf and a description by metes and bounds of the proposed site of same have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and duplicates thereof have been deposited in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds for the said City of Victoria, the same being the Land Registry Office at Victoria, aforesaid.

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PERFECT REVELATION IN MINERAL WEALTH

Mining Expert Speaks of His Impressions Gathered in Tour of Province

Vancouver, Oct. 12. — Bronzed and weather-beaten, William Yolen Williams, Spokane, consulting engineer to the Granby Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, arrived here from a three months tour of the principal mining camps of Portland Canal district, Prince of Wales Island, southeastern Alaska and the south end of the Yukon district. His mission had a two-fold character.

Mr. Williams was instructed by Jay P. Graves, general manager of the Granby, which has mines at Phoenix and a smelter at Grand Forks, with a daily capacity of 4,00 tons, to examine mining propositions with a view to their purchase as well as to report on the possibilities of securing custom ore for treatment at a smelter the company contemplates erecting in northern British Columbia. The Granby is now dedeveping the Hidden Creek group, a copper-gold proposition, with immense tonnage possibilities, at Goose Bay, Observatory Inlet, Portland Canal district.

At the Hotel Vancouver, Mr. Williams stated that the trip had proved a perfect revelation to him. He did not bond any properties, but sent home in advance hundreds of samples of ore from the various districts visited. It is not unlikely that the Granby will make extensive new mining investments in the north as the life of its Phoenix mine is limited, and the management intends to continue in existence and transfer the scene of its activities to northern British Columbia, the Yukon and southeastern Alaska.

"I must frankly admit that I saw some wonderful showings, principally of copper, in my three months' tour," said Mr. Williams, who has a reputation as one of the most reputable and conservative mining men in the west.

"The immense size of the northern country and its possibilities for the production of gold, copper and silver and lead impressed me very deeply. There is no doubt that the mining industry in the various districts I visited has a great future. All that is needed is the application of capital and the transportation facilities to make those regions world-famous and centres of activity. I paid more attention to copper propositions than to others, but realize that the other minerals are also widely and extensively distributed up there. As soon as collateral conditions come into line there will be a big tonnage available for a smelter at some point on the northern sea coast."

Mr. Williams made a detailed examination of the Red Cliff, Portland Canal and other well known mines in the Portland Canal district before proceeding to the Windy Arm district in the south end of the Yukon district, as well as to the copper belt near White Horse. He found mining operations in progress under Col. Conrad's direction in Windy Arm district. The ores there are of high grade. The White Horse copper belt also appealed to him as it shows big possibilities. Several of the mines are now on a shipping basis. In the north Mr. Williams met Mr. Dickinson, the new manager of the White Pass & Yukon railway, who expressed to him the earnest desire of the management to co-operate with mining men in opening up the country. A visit to Rainy Hollow, a promising copper camp on the Dalton trail, below Skagway, followed.

Mr. Williams there saw numerous splendid copper prospects. Little development work has been done, however, and the region is without transportation facilities, being over fifty miles from Skagway.

Mr. Williams is convinced that this camp will be heard from before very long, as the showings there are bound to attract capital and a railroad will undoubtedly follow. Several noteworthy discoveries of free-milling gold ores were made this summer in the vicinity of Skagway, whose citizens with praiseworthy enterprise are installing a small test mill to enable prospectors to make experimental shipments of ore and thus determine their value and the proper method of treatment.

Two weeks were devoted to an examination of various copper properties on Prince of Wales Island, Alaska, and adjacent country on the Alaska mainland, as well as the vicinity of Ketchikan. In all the places Mr. Williams saw many excellent showings. He believes that gold mining up there is only in its infancy as free-milling bodies of ore have been found at many points and are being developed. Mr. Williams visited the Alaska-Treadwell mine where stamps are pounding out the gold day and night. Values, he was told, have increased $1 per ton since depth has been attained.

"I will hazard no speculation on the mining future of the north country. Vast regions await the prospector, and have not yet been scratched. The centre of the mining industry is slowly but surely shifting northward. I should like to live to see the activity that will prevail there long after I have gone," added the visitor.

Mr. Williams is a Welshman by birth and has been engaged in mining since boyhood. He knows nearly every camp in the western portion of Canada and the United States. He was a pioneer in Rossland before undertaking, as superintendant, the development of the Granby mines at Phoenix. He is regarded as one of the best experts on the continent.

EXONERATES THE COW.

Mrs. O'Leary's Bovine Not Responsible For Great Chicago Fire.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 11.—Chicago celebrated on Monday the fortieth anniversary of the great fire of 1871, which destroyed $200,000,000 worth of property and caused the death of 300 persons. In Grant Park a replica of Mrs. O'Leary's historic barn was fired as a feature of the evening's performance. A cow was secured to play the part of the famous animal which, according to the generally accepted belief, started the big blaze by kicking over a lamp. In this connection Michael Ahern, the only living police reporter who "covered" the story, gives a version of the affair which differs materially from that generally taken as correct.

"The fire was not started by a cow kicking over a lamp while Mrs. O'Leary was milking the animal," said Ahern. "The O'Learys were all in bed when the fire started. Mrs. O'Leary had milked her cows—she owned five—more than three hours before the fire was discovered. I knew Mrs. O'Leary well. She was a truthful woman. A few days after the fire I interviewed her regarding the story of the cow and the lamp. She branded it as untrue.

"It is true that the fire started in the O'Leary cowshed, and I have my reason for believing that someone went there to pilfer milk from one of the cows. There was a social gathering in the neighborhood in honor of a young man from Ireland. One of those present told me in after years that two women of the party went to the O'Leary shed to get some milk for punch. One woman held a lighted lamp while the other milked the cow. They thought they heard someone coming and in their hurry to escape the lamp was dropped, setting fire to the place. That, I believe, is the true cause of the fire."

TEN CENT NEWSPAPER.

Somewhat Visionary Scheme Is Announced From Paris.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 12.—The city of Paris is to have the world's highest priced newspaper. It will be called Le Journale Internationale, and will be edited by Theodore Stanton, an American, although printed in French. Copies are to be sold at ten cents each. The object of the publication will be to regard all affairs, particularly those of a political nature, from an international standpoint. An international advisory board, composed of prominent statesmen from the chief countries of the world, will meet once a year to consider the policy of the paper.

CESAREWITCH WINNER.

Newmarket, Eng., Oct. 12.—The Cesarewitch, the greatest long distance handicap of the year, value about 1025 pounds, run over two miles and a quarter, was won by the top weight, C. E. Howard's Willonyx, a four-year-old colt by William the Third—Tribonyx, who carried 9 stone 5 pounds and was well backed down to 9 to 2. Lord Cadogan's three-year-old filly, Martingale, 7st. 4lbs., 30 to 1, was second, and W. M. C. Singer's Papavero, 7 stone 4 pounds, 6 to 1, was third. Sixteen ran.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF V. & S.

The formal meetings of the shareholders of the Victoria & Sidney Railway Company and the Victoria Terminal Railway & Ferry Company, were held yesterday afternoon at the depot, Blanchard street, those present being J. L. Snapp, a director (in the chair); A. M. Thomas, of Seattle, secretary; and Frank VanSant, superintendent and traffic manager of the companies.

Only business of a formal character was transacted, and the reports will be laid before a general meeting at a subsequent date.

The directors were re-elected, and the meetings were adjourned.

—"The religion of the Future," a lecture delivered by Charles W. Eliot, L.L.D., late president of Harvard University, will be mailed free to anyone upon request. Address Secretary, Post Office Mission, P. O. Box 1372, city.

—A start was made with the gymnasium work at the local Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening, about 40 taking part in the young men's class. About 140 medical examinations have been completed preparatory to the classes, and more have yet to be made. Only a very few have had to be advised not to join, proving the healthy material of which the association membership is composed.



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SERVICE SUFFERING AS RESULT OF FOGS

Princess Charlotte Held at Vancouver Ten Hours — No Boat Crossing Gulf To-day

Owing to the dense fogs which have been prevalent for the past few days, the ferry service of the C. P. R. is becoming disorganized. The steamer Princess Charlotte (Capt. Griffin), was unable to get away from Vancouver last night, according to her schedule, for Seattle, sailing at 10 o'clock this morning. As a result she did not reach here from the Sound at 1 o'clock and the afternoon trip to Vancouver had to be cancelled. The steamer Iroquois made a special trip from Seattle, bringing the passengers.

The next steamer for the mainland from Victoria will be the night boat, which leaves at 11.45 to-night. The failure of the Charlotte to sail from the Terminal City until this morning disorganized the service so that the Princess Victoria was dispatched from there to this city at 10 a. m. and the Princess Adelaide took the Victoria's run, leaving the mainland port at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

To-day the fog lifted slightly but it is still thick over the Straits, Gulf and Sound. The ferry steamers were late in arriving from their different ports yesterday and if the fog does not lift shortly the vessels will be unable to follow their schedules.

STREET REGULATIONS WILL AGAIN FIGURE

City Council Must Settle Definition of Reasonable Delay — By-laws Considered

To-morrow night's session of the city council will be largely taken up with the consideration of bylaws, as the streets regulation bylaw requires action, owing to the obstructions to the sidewalk and roadways permitted at present, and which the new regulations seek to control by giving the police greater powers, but before the council can go far they must define what is a reasonable time during which automobiles can be left unattended on the roadways before the patrolmen can interfere. It was on this issue that the aldermen divided on Tuesday, and this clause must be framed to be acceptable before the council can pass the bylaw through its first reading.

The bylaws dealing with the library and the parks, which were defeated on the last occasion, and which have to be resubmitted in amended form, will probably be ready for consideration by to-morrow night.

There is a good deal of correspondence requiring attention, and more is likely to be heard of Smith's Hill reservoir leakage, as the water commission have the tender of W. J. Watson for $19,650 to line the reservoir with his patent material "Watsonite" to report upon, and action must be taken.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. R. W. Perry, Oak Bay avenue, will not receive on Friday, the 13th.

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Mrs W. A. Jameson, Foul Bay road, will receive to-morrow afternoon.

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Henry Rushton, of New Westminster, is a visitor to the city and is registered at the King ...ward hotel.

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Clarence A. King, of Juneau, Alaska, has arrived in the city, and is registered at the Westholme hotel.

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Mrs. Edward White and Miss White returned last night from an extended visit to friends in England. They made an extended tour of England and the continent.

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A prominent Y. M. C. A. visitor is expected on Monday when C. K. Calhoun, of Montreal, field secretary for Canada of the association, will reach the city. He will probably address a meeting, but arrangements have not yet been completed.

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Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy and child, who have been spending the summer at Cadboro Bay, have returned to the city preparatory to leaving for Alonosa, Sonora, Mexico, where Mr. McCarthy holds the position of U. S. consul.

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Lieut. General Brabazon H. Pottinger, R. A., is visiting Victoria, in company with Col. Hobday, of Duncans, and they are registered at the Empress hotel. General Pottinger served with distinction in the Abyssinian campaign.

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The Alexandra Club is giving the first of its series of bridge and five hundred parties at the ball room this evening at 8 o'clock sharp. About fifty tables have been taken as requested by the committee. Those who were unable to secure a table and care to do so now will find it to their advantage to communicate with the club as a few of the tables have dropped out. Cards will be played from 8 to 11. Handsome prizes have been obtained for the winners. Light refreshments will be served.

—An arbitration proceeding arising out of the extension of Burdette avenue to Linden avenue was heard this morning at the city hall, the only point at issue being the price to be paid to the owners of the land proposed to be expropriated by the city council for the continuation of the street through to Linden.

—In the police court this morning H. S. Griffiths was fined $20 for automobile speeding, and A. McCrimmon was fined a similar amount for driving an auto on the wrong side of Government street. Mabel Lamont, a woman vagrant, was given twenty-four hours to leave town. H. Payne, who drove a wagon across the sidewalk, paid a fine of $5. D. Saberson, for an indecent act on Yates street, was fined $20 or in default one month.

NEW GOVERNOR NEARING QUEBEC

CABINET TO WELCOME HIM THERE TO-NIGHT

Duke of Connaught and Royal Party Had a Pleasant Voyage Over

Rimouski, Que., Oct. 12. — The steamer Empress of Britain passed this port early to-day and reported all on board well.

Their royal highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, it is stated, have thoroughly enjoyed the trip across and are looking forward to their arrival at Quebec with much interest. There has been nothing in the nature of formality during the voyage, and outside of the passengers rising upon the entrance of the royal party at last night's concert the trip has been devoid of any touch of official form.

His royal highness has on many occasions during the voyage given proof of his democratic spirit, such as posing for amateur photographers, etc. The Empress is decorated right royally with flags and colored lanterns for her part in the welcome to be tendered to the King's representatives upon arrival at Quebec this evening.

Cabinet Go to Meet Him.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 12.—The special train carrying Premier R. L. Borden and the members of the cabinet to Quebec to formally welcome to Canada the Duke of Connaught, left the Broad street station at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Premier Borden was accompanied by all members of his ministry with the exception of Hon. J. D. Hazen, Hon. Sam Hughes and Hon. F. D. Monk and Martin Burrell, who has yet to be sworn it. Hon. Sam Hughes, who went to Lindsay yesterday, will go direct from his home to Quebec, and Hon. Mr. Monk will go down from Montreal.

In additfon to the Canadian ministers, those on the special train included Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, chief justice of Canada, and members of the Supreme Court of Canada; Col. Sherwood, chief of Dominion police; Gen. Colin McKenzie, Gen. Otter, Gen. Lessard and Admiral Kingsmill.

The train will reach Quebec at 10 o'clock to-night and will return to Ottawa on Saturday morning.

OBITUARY RECORD

Those who officiated as pallbearers at the funeral of the late Mrs. Isabella Teresa Jones, which took place from the residence of her brother T. McN. Jones, 1248 Fort street, yesterday afternoon were: George Barber, T. D. Fiddler, John Howcroft, William Coutts, W. Barber and W. Sherritt.

The double funeral of the two Italians, Olliscine Salvatori and Dominice Grilli, who were killed by the premature explosion of a dynamite charge in one of the C. N. P. construction camps near Colwood on Monday, took place this morning from the Victoria Undertaking parlors at 8.45 and from the Roman Catholic cathedral at 9. Services were conducted by the Rev. Father Leterme. The fellow employees of the deceased attended the funeral in a body. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery.

The funeral of the late John Mills will take place from the family residence, 813 Hillside avenue, to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Services will be conducted by the Rev. A. H. Henderson. Interment will be made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Anna Maria Peebles, who died in this city on August 13, will take place from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Co.'s parlors on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Deceased leaves a daughter, Mrs. McCafferty, 615 Yates street. Interment will be made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

The death occurred at the St. Joseph's hospital this morning of James J. Griffin, at the age of 52 years. Deceased was a native of Ireland. He had lived in Victoria for many years and was well known here. He was one time proprieter of the White Horse hotel Humboldt street. A wife survives, residing at 915 Hayward avenue. The remains have been removed to the Victoria Undertaking parlors and the funeral arrangements will be announced later.

The funeral of the late Harry Cole took place from the family residence, 322 Dallas road, this afternoon at 2 o'clock and from St. John's church at 2.45. Services were conducted by the Rev. A. J. Stanley Ard. A great many of Victoria's old time residents were present to pay their last respects to the deceased gentleman. The numerous floral offerings sent were very beautiful. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

Death has overtaken another of the pioneer women of Victoria in the person of Louise Annette Seabrook, wife of R. Seabrook, who died on the 10th inst in the Royal Jubilee Hospital after a long illness, at the age of 69. Deceased, who is survived by her husband, has four children, nine grandchildren and four great grand-children, all living. Mrs. Seabrook, who was a daughter of the late Dr. Alfred Holliway member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, came to Canada in 1864 and settled in Victoria in 1869, remaining here permanently with a few occasional visits to the mainland. Three of her children were present at the deathbed. Their names are Mrs. Eli Harrison, wife of Judge Harrison; B. R. Seabrook, Toronto; J. J. Seabrook, and Mrs. C. A. Godson, Vancouver.

YUKON'S GOLD OUTPUT HALF MILLION MORE

For 1911 the Production of Precious Metal Will Be About $4,500,000

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—The gold production of the Yukon district this year will be about $4,500,000, or about $250,000 in excess of the output in 1910, according to E. E. Stockton, of the auditor-general's department, Ottawa, who has returned from Dawson. Mr. Stockton had exceptional facilities for gaining correct information as he audited all the government accounts, including the royalties of two and one-half per cent.

At the Hotel Vancouver to-day he stated that the production this season up to the end of August, as indicated by the official returns, showed that it was then $50,000 in excess of returns for the corresponding period of last year. He based his estimate for the year on the increased activity in mining as well as on the fact that the biggest portion of the clean-up takes place at the end of the season. The Yukon Gold Company, controlled by the Guggenheims, had seven dredges in operation, and were also extracting gold by other methods. Other companies are also doing considerable work.

Mr. Steckton looks for a slow but steady increase of gold production in the Yukon, but does not think that the output of the pioneer days will ever be attained in future unless important new placer discoveries are made.

A. N. C. Treadgold, who organized a company in New York and London this year to operate there on an extensive scale, has already secured options on a great deal of valuable ground, and when Mr. Stockton left for the south was out on the creeks looking over other propositions with a view to their purchase. His re-entrance into mining is encouraging to the citizens of Dawson, who are hopeful that it will give the Klondike a new lease of life, especially as Mr. Treadgold is credited with having ample financial backing. It is unlikely that the Treadgold Company will start active operations until 1913, owing to the time which must elapse before dredges can be built and ditches dug.

BY-ELECTION RUMORS.

No Polls in Quebec on Nov. 1—Possible Contests.

Ottawa, Oct. 12.—Should there be any polling in Quebec in connection with re-election to parliament of Quebec members of Borden's cabinet, it cannot take place on Nov. 1, as provided by the order-in-council fixing nomination day for Oct 25 and the polling one week later. Nov. 1 is All Saints' Day and there is a special provision in the Electfon Act to the effect that polling cannot take place on a legal holiday in Quebec.

Should any of the Quebec ministers be opposed voting will take place on Nov. 2, or later.

Hon. S. N. Parent, retiring chairman of the N. T. R. commission, is mentioned as a possible opponent of Hon. L. P. Pelletier in Quebec county.

Mr. Parent, when seen to-day refused either to confirm or deny the report.

Geo. Gordon, M. P.-elect for Nipissing, is here. It is said he will give his seat to Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways.

—The remains of Ernest Wilfred Biermann, who died in Los Angeles, Cal., October 6, will be forwarded to Victoria for burial.

—To-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock a meeting of the board of management of the Y. W. C. A. will be held at the home, Courtney street. All members are requested to attend, as business of importance is to be transacted.

—There is every prospect of keen competition for the championships to be swum off at the Y. M. C. A. tank on Monday week, and although entries do not close till Thursday next, the contestants are practising steadily, especially the ladies. There are three entries for the ladies' 100 yards race, and among the entries for the half mile championship are G. Y. Simpson of Vancouver, who won the mile championship of B. C. at the Gorge, and J. McNeill of this city, who holds the 220 yards' honors for the province. The other events to be decided are the 100 yards' championship of Victoria, and a 60-yard back-stroke race.

—A lady missionary from the east, on her way back to her duty, will arrive in the city on Sunday, and on Sunday evening she will deliver a missionary address to the missionaries of the city; on Monday evening she will address the public upon the work in India. The meetings are to be held under the auspices of the B. Y. T. U. in the Baptist Tabernacle, and on account of the addresses the meeting which was to have been held on Friday evening is canceled.

MARRIED.

MELLIN-MUSGRAVE—On Wednesday, 11th October, at St. Luke's, Cedar Hill, Harry de Moleyns, eldest son of the late Ventry de M. Mellin, Esq., to Anastasia Rose, daughter of the late Edward Musgrave, Esq.

DIED.

MILLS—On the 10th October, 1911, John Mills, a native of Camborne, Cornwall, England, aged 54 years.
Funeral from the residence, 813 Hillside avenue, on Friday, 13th inst., at 2.30 p. m.

WILSON—At 2035 Oak Bay avenue, Victoria, B. C., Mrs. Helen Wilson, widow of the late George Wilson, of Aberdeenshire, Scotland, aged 70 years.
Due notice of the funeral will be given. (Vancouver, B. C., papers please copy.)

SEABROOK—Passed away on October 10, at the age of 69 years, Louise Annette Seabrook, wife of R. Seabrook, Esq. Born in London, Eng., daughter of the late Dr. Alfred Holliway, member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London.
Funeral will take place from residence of her daughter, Mrs. Eli Harrison, corner Fort and Harrison streets, to St. John's church, at 2.30 p. m., Friday, Oct. 13th inst.



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—The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Cymrodorion Society will be held to-night, Thursday, in the Foresters' hall, Broad street, at 8 p. m. sharp. A good programme of music will be given and refreshments will be served by the members. An invitation is given to all resident and visiting Welsh to attend.

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NEW, 6 ROOM, MODERN HOUSE on Rosebery avenue, basement and electric light fixtures, and piped for furnace, size of lot 60x129; $800 cash will secure this, balance of purchase price arranged; price $4,200. Western Lands, Limited, 1201 Broad street, corner View. o12

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Quebec and Menzies streets.
C. P. R. Wharf.
McClure and Collinson streets.
Vancouver and Richardson streets.
Vancouver and Belcher streets.
Fort and Cook streets.
Cook street and Pandora Ave.
Vancouver and Yates streets.
Pandora Ave. and Quadra street.
Quadra and Pioneer streets.
Chatham and Government streets.
Store and Discovery streets.
Store and Johnson streets.
Bastion Square.
Old Post Office.
Government and Johnson streets.
Government and Fisguard streets.
City Hall.
King Edward Hotel.
Douglas and Yates streets.
Dominion Hotel.
Fort and Blanchard streets.
View and Broad streets.
Pemberton Block.
Fort and Government streets.

Newspaper boxes are situated as follows:

Maywood.
Robinson's (Craigflower road).
Douglas street and King's road.
Caledonia Ave. and Chambers street.
Oak Bay Junction.
Niagara and Menzies streets.
Fort and Cook streets.
Old Post Office.
City Hall.

NOTICE

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT.

Notice is hereby given that Frederick William Pretty, of the City of Rossland, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of works proposed to be constructed on that part of the waters of Victoria Harbor fronting on Lot 1274, Block 43, Victoria City, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works, and a description thereof, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar General of Titles in the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter of the said application will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

F. W. PRETTY.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—8 roomed, on car line. E. J. Dobie, 918 Government street. o12

NICELY FURNISHED COTTAGES to let, on Dallas road, bath, hot and cold water, electric light. Apply Mrs. M. R. Smith, 104 Dallas road. n5

FOR SALE—ACREAGE

FOR SALE—Acreage on the Koksilan river, about one mile from proposed route of C. N. R. Apply Mrs. M. Melrose, Cobble Hill P. O. o17

A SNAP—One acre on Quadra street, all beautifully treed and an unobstructed view of city and mountains, price $3,500. See us at once in regard to this choice piece of property. O. H. Bowman & Co., Government street. Phone 544. o12

FOR SALE—1 acre (no rock) near Fruitland, $1,000; $300 cash. Box 59, Times. o14

FOR SALE—ARTICLES

SELLING OUT—Buggies, surreys and spring wagons at cost. B. C. Hardware Co., Ltd., 733 Johnson street. Phone 1611.

BOATS FOR SALE—Flat bottom boats for sale, all sizes in stock and made to order. Capital Jobbing Factory, 1003 Yates street. jy27 tf

FOR SALE—Shotgun, 12 bore, $15; 22 cal. revolver, $3.50; merchant marine field glasses, $8.50; 15-jewel Waltham watches, $7.50; rachet braces, $1.50; steel squares, 85c.; two-foot rules, 15c. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

FOR SALE—Gladstone, in first-class order. Victoria Transfer Co. o13

TYPEWRITER FOR SALE—Is in good condition. Box 51, Times. o14

FOR SALE—Second-hand safe, good condition. Apply Box 5012, Times. o16

PERAMBULATOR FOR SALE—English, rubber tyred, in perfect condition. Apply P. O. Box 665, Victoria, B. C. o12

TO BE SOLD—A Gerhard Heintzman piano, almost new. Address 210 Wilson street, Victoria West. o12

FOR SALE—Savage rifle, .303, take down, almost new, with canvas case and 80 rounds ammunition, Lyman peep sight, only $25. W. T. McGibbon, 2628 Graham street. o16

WILL EXCHANGE a new 5-passenger auto for a new house and pay the balance in cash. E. J. Dobie, 918 Government street. o13

IRON BEDSTEADS, springs and mattresses are cheap all the time at Butler's new furniture store, 734 Pandora street. o13

FOR SALE—Furniture and household effects of 8 room house, including good piano, Monarch range, almost new. Apply, mornings, 1452 Vining street. o21

FOR SALE—HOUSES

IF YOU INTEND buying a home call in and see photographs of the houses we have for sale. The City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street. a19 tf

FOR SALE—New five roomed bungalow, furnished, all conveniences, close to new school, convenient to two car lines, $4,1[illegible]. 1728 Duchess street. o14

YOUR OWN TERMS—2 new, 6 room cottages on Cloverdale avenue, 4 minutes from car; price $3,500 each; lots 50x196. They are modern and will suit you. Terms to suit. Call up owner, X2945. P. O. Box 85. o5 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, on terms, house and three acres. Apply A. R. Frewing, Langford Station P. O., Victoria. o13

NOTICE TO HOUSE HUNTERS—We have five competent men receiving a salary who do nothing but list property in all parts of the city. Should you be looking for a house or lot, if you would call at the office or give us a phone call we would be pleased to meet you with our auto and show you a large number of properties in a short time. J. Porter, 704 Yates street. Phone 2837. o13

FOR SALE—Victoria West, a modern 5 roomed bungalow on large lot; $1,000 cash, balance arranged; owner leaving city Oct. 31st. Apply 703 Pine St. o13

BURNSIDE ROAD BARGAIN—On terms, new house, 6 rooms, bathroom, basement, level and all in fruit trees, finest view of any surroundings, lot 50x150. Apply first house Eldon Place, off Burnside road. Five minutes to Douglas car. Less than $5 rates and taxes. Price $2,600. o17

$6,800 SECURES a 9 roomed house facing down Pandora avenue, on a corner lot. The city must expropriate this property to obtain the site recommended by the committee. This property is one of the most conservative investments to-day on Pandora avenue. J. Porter, 704 Yates street. Phone 2837. o13

$3,000 BUYS a nice bungalow in Fairfield Estate, just off Cook street, on large lot. J. Porter, 704 Yates street. Phone 2837. o13

THREE GOOD BUYS—Mascotte avenue, off Pembroke street, 8 room house, $1,500; Pembroke street, 4 room house, lot 50x120, with large stable, $2,500; Adelaide road, 5 room house on lot 50x120, $2,100. Camosun Realty Co., Fort St. o13

WILL BUILD neat 12x20 shack on lot, one minute from Fort street car, $1,050, terms. Box 30, Times. o13

SIX ROOM, BRICK HOUSE, lot 60x120, James Bay, five minutes from Government Buildings, $4,800; $800 cash and balance easy. May & Tisseman, 1203 Langley. o13

$4,700 IS THE PRICE of a house and lot on Pandora avenue, steam heated, containing 7 rooms and fully modern. If the city should accept the site recommended by the committee appointed, they must expropriate this property, which assures the investor of quick profits. J. Porter, 704 Yates street. Phone 2837. o13

JUST COMPLETED—5 roomed house, on corner Bay street and Quadra, well finished; price for a few days $4,200, terms. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort street. o12

SAY, DAD—8 roomed house on wide avenue, only $3,850, on terms. E. J. Dobie, 918 Government street. o13

SAY, BROTHER—Six roomed house, with 2 lots, covered with fruit trees, near car, only $2,600, easy terms. E. J. Dobie, 918 Government. o12

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Small silver watch, last night, between Government and Blanchard Sts. or Fort. Reward. A. Campbell, Ltd. o12

LOST—Coral necklace, Saturday. Return to 1320 Fisguard street. Reward. o13

STRAYED—Red and white pointer dog. Suitable reward. Anybody harboring after this notice will be prosecuted. H. A. Porter. Tel. 2339. o13

COLLIE BITCH strayed from 1742 Fifth street, on Tuesday morning. Return to above address. o13

LOST—Gold head umbrella, engraved A. B. Cook, in vicinity of Church Hill, Sunday evening. Phone R786. o13

LOST—Gordon setter bitch puppy, on Saanich road. Please return to C. Goodwin, Tennyson road, or care of W. Duncan's Harness Shop, Douglas street. Reward. o13

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—A mare, $75. 942 View St. o17

PURE BRED White Wyandotte and White Leghorn cockerels from prize-winning stock, $1.50 each. Apply Scott & Peden. o13

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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FOR SALE—LOTS

LOOK HERE—Practically a water front on sandy beach, 1 block from car, no rock, 50x145, $775; $225 cash. Owner, Box 35, Times. o13

FOR SALE—One lot, fruit trees, fence, facing Joseph street, off Arcadia street, Gorge car, $1,600, terms. Apply at premises. o30

GOOD LOT, 58x168, with nice little shack, just off car line, $850, on easy terms. See Allen & Son, Phone 1650, over Northern Crown Bank. o26

ROCKLAND PARK—Corner King's road and Rosebery, $750. Douglas Land Investment Co., 1208 Douglas street. o14

COMING STORE CORNER—Ryan and Adelaide, 120x112, just in front of new school site; please look up this site on the map: Adelaide will be the main thoroughfare from new Hillside car line to Belvedere; only $1,500; one-third cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Douglas Land Investment Co., 1208 Douglas street. o14

SEVERAL LOTS on Musgrave street, Oak Bay district, 50x115, only $700 per lot, balance 6, 12 and 18 months; lie splendidly. Douglas Land Investment Co., 1208 Douglas street. o14

OLYMPIA AVE.—Double corner, 100x120, one of the best residential sites in this district, $1,700; ⅓ cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Douglas Land Investment Co., 1208 Douglas street. o14

SEVERAL SPLENDID LOTS, 50x115, on Dunlevy street, Oak Bay district, facing the water, only $850 per lot; ⅓ cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Douglas Land Investment Co., 1208 Douglas street. o14

GARDEN STREET—Fine lot for $735. If you see this you will buy it. Douglas Land Investment Co., 1208 Douglas St. o14

MONTEREY AVENUE—Choice lot, 50x185 to lane, $1,650, terms. Western Lands, Ltd., corner View and Broad. o12

FAIRFIELD ESTATE—Southgate street, 2 fine, high lots, each 60x120; price $2,500 each, terms. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort street. o12

ONE LOT, Carlin street, $600; $150 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months at 7 per cent. Apply A. Raper, Victoria Dairy. o16

TWO LOTS, Second and Third streets, near Jubilee hospital, $1,400; $350 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. Apply A. Raper, Victoria Dairy. o16

OAK BAY—We offer a choice building site on Hampshire road, 96x180 to lane, $2,200, easy terms. Western Lands, Ltd., corner View and Broad. o12

GREENWOOD AVE.—Two fine lots at $750 each. May & Tisseman, 1203 Langley. o13

CORNER, 71x119, Rudlin and Camosun, in block proposed for new City Hall, $3,200, on three-year terms. May & Tisseman, 1203 Langley. o13

CORNER LOT, on Sims avenue, price $600, your own terms. 1454 Lansdowne road. o13

FOR SALE—Lot 50x120, Carlin street, $200 cash, balance in two years; price $500. 1454 Lansdowne road. o13

ONTARIO STREET LOTS are worth $2,000. We have a good 5 roomed house and 60x120 ft. lot for $4,000, on easy terms. J. Porter, 704 Yates street. Phone 2837. o13

HERE IS A BARGAIN—3 beautiful lots on Shelbourne street, 40x171 each; $1,800 for the three, on easy terms. Griffin, Reynolds & Co., 301 Times Building. Phone 2824. o13

DO THESE APPEAL TO YOU?—Wellington street, 50x146, $1,650; Fairfield road, 60x125, $1,350; Arnold avenue, 50x120, $1,600. Griffin, Reynolds & Co., 301 Times Building. Phone 2824. o13

FOR SALE—"Carlsruhe," on Craigflower road, near Arcadia street, 2 beautiful lots, all in garden, fruit trees, etc., wire fence. Gorge car passes door, $1,500 each, terms. Inquire at premises. o20

HELP WANTED—MALE

BOYS WANTED—At once, for delivery department. David Spencer, Limited. o14

GOOD, RELIABLE BOY WANTED. Williams' Drug Store. o14

WANTED—Two live solicitors; good all winter job for hustlers. P. O. Box 318. o13

$2 DAY SALARY AND UP—Also commission, for local representatives, immediately; permanent position; experience unnecessary; rapid advancement; spare time accepted. Nichols, Limited, Publishers, Toronto. o17

WANTED—Lad to look after showroom and assist in office of plumbing shop. Box 5002, Times. o12

WANTED—A lad to make himself generally useful in a book and stationery store. Box 82, Times. o12

ROOMS AND BOARD

TO LET—Comfortably furnished rooms, 810 Douglas, corner Humboldt. o14

COMFORTABLE ROOMS TO LET, for gentlemen, all modern conveniences, close to car. Mrs. Kirby, 1137 N. Park street. o29

PRIVATE BOARD—Just one block south of Parliament Buildings, a fine parlor-bedroom, vacant, suitable for married couple or two gentlemen. Mrs. A. McDowell, 506 Government street. o22

TO RENT—Unfurnished flat, no children. Apply Mt. Edwards, Vancouver street. Mrs. Cuppage. o12

FIRST-CLASS ROOMS, with breakfast, for gentlemen. Miss E. H. Jones, 405 Michigan street. Phone 1202. o13

AUSTRALIAN BOARDING HOUSE removed to Douglas street, near Hillside; terms, $6 weekly. o15

FIRST-CLASS ROOMING HOUSE, with breakfast, for gentlemen. Miss E. H. Jones, 405 Michigan street. Phone 1202. o13

FURNISHED ROOM, suitable for 2 ladies or 2 gentlemen. Apply 339 Simcoe St. o12

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS for two or three gentlemen, heated throughout with furnace, hot and cold water, price moderate. Apply 1246 Rudlin Ave. o16

NEW HOTEL BRUNSWICK—Best location, no bar, strictly first-class, special winter rates, two entrances. Corner Douglas and Yates. Phone 317.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—A cook. Apply Tea Kettle Tea Room. o13

WANTED—A skirtmaker, at once. Apply 623 Fort street, Up-to-Date Tailor. o13

WANTED—A woman to do house work by the day. Apply 2528 Rose street. o13

WANTED—Two live solicitors, with wide acquaintance, lady and gentleman preferred; good opportunities for right parties; salary and commission. Call between 10 and 12. Room 232, Pemberton Block. o13

WANTED—Girl to wait on table in restaurant, $9 per week. 612 Pandora. o12

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, for bachelor. 2858 Douglas street. o16

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

POSITION WANTED by dry goods clerk, with two years' experience; references. Box 79, Times. o12

YOUNG MAN (20), fairly educated, wants position as grocery clerk or in office, or any capacity where he can earn a living. Apply at 574 Simcoe street. o12

FIRST-CLASS CARPENTRY, alterations and repairs, designs draughted, by C. Woolley, 1151 Princess avenue, Victoria.

Cheap Lots

PRIOR STREET, close to Bay street. Choice 50 foot lot. Terms $400 cash, balance easy. Price $1,075

GRAHAM STREET, close to Bay street. Choice lot. $350 cash. Balance easy. Price $1,100

John Greenwood
Real Estate Agent
575 Yates St. Telephone 1425

MISCELLANEOUS

MADAM LIEB, trance medium and clairvoyant; satisfaction given. 834 Broughton street. o12

KARL FRITZ, the Eastern mystic, gives reliable advice on all important affairs of life. Send full Christian and surname with P. O. for amount. Two questions 50c.; five questions $1. Do it now. Karl Fritz, P. O. Box 498, Victoria. n11

GROUND FLOOR OFFICE, Fort street, close Broad, suitable for real estate, to lease for 20 months, $90 per month. Apply P. O. Box 878, Victoria. o13

REMOVING NOTICE—Edwin Frampton Realty Co., the Exchange, 718 Fort street, removing to Nos. 1 and 2 McGregor Block, corner of Broad and View, opposite D. Spencer's. o14

PRITCHARD, the people's painter and paperhanger, 634 John street, city. Phone L3111. o16

YOU WANT a firm of smart accountants. Phone 3566. Prince, Cairns & Co., stockbrokers, accountants, real estate, insurance; company promoters. Specials in city lots and houses. 1303 Broad street, corner Yates.

FOR HIRE—Electric vacuum cleaner, $3 per day delivered. Phone L2956. 773 Vancouver street. n6

MASTER OF ARTS, holding academic certificate of B. C., desires to give private tuition, evenings, in any of following subjects: Algebra, geometry, arithmetic, Latin, English, Greek. Terms, one dollar per hour. Apply 2543 Quadra street. n4

FOR GOOD RESULTS list your property with G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Phones: Office, 1566; Res., 2533.

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TO LET—Suite offices, Pemberton Block. Inquire Room 309, Pemberton Building. o28

MRS. F. V. JACKSON, the medium, is the guest of Mrs. Jos. Brown, 1010 Fisguard street, for a few days and will be pleased to meet her friends. o13

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS remodelled and trimmed (use your old materials); charges moderate. 1323 Douglas street, Room 5. o25

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IF YOU WANT to sell your house, list it with the City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street, who make a specialty of homes and who photograph all the houses they have for sale. a19 tf

J. W. BOLDEN, Carpenter. Jobbing work, repairs, alterations, etc. Address 1616 Cook street. Phone 1308.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—By practical woman, nursing, maternity cases preferred; terms moderate. Apply Box 83, Times. o16

YOUNG LADY, experienced, desires position in departmental store. Box 81, Times. o12

WANTED — Position by experienced stenographer with knowledge of bookkeeping, city references (would substitute). Apply Box No. 14, Times. o12

TRAINED ENGLISH NURSE is open for engagements, maternity or general. 1526 Amelia street. o24

EXPERIENCED MATERNITY NURSE will take patients into her home for thirty-five dollars for two weeks. Apply at Times Box 796. o25

TRAINED ENGLISH NURSE is open for engagements, maternity or general. 1526 Amelia street. s21

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—From owners only, 4 or 5 roomed cottage in James Bay, about $2,250; $500 cash and easy terms. Box 5003, Times. o13

WANTED—A boathouse for launch. State price to Box 78, Times. o12

HOUSE WANTED—4 or 5 rooms, near top of Cloverdale avenue or North Quadra street, small first payment. P. O. Box 1326. o12

I AM OPEN to buy building lots in any part of the city that are offered below market. Speak quick if you need cash. Give exact location, lowest price and terms. Owners only. Box 4583, Times. o12

WANTED—5 or 6 roomed, modern bungalow, price about $3,500. Box 72, Times. o12

WANTED—To rent, furnished or unfurnished housekeeping rooms. Box 80, Times. o12

WANTED—To lease, to good reliable tenant, 12-acre fruit ranch, situate eight miles from the city, in Saanich district. Apply Shaw Real Estate Co., 302 Pemberton Block. o12

WANTED—Brick, rock or cement work, by contract; chimneys a specialty. H. Bagnall, Phone R2889. o14

WANTED—Lot, within five minutes from car; must be cheap for cash. Box 108, Times. o13

WANTED—To adopt a healthy baby girl, about 2 years of age, of respectable parentage. Apply Box 100, Times. o17

WANTED—To buy, an established business that is a good paying concern; or would consider partnership. Apply Box 99, Times. o17

WANTED—A lot, with a fairly good view, in Oak Bay district; must be near car; if a decided snap and on easy terms am open to buy from owner. Kindly give full particulars to Box 110, Times Office. o13

SECOND-HAND STOVES wanted at Foxgord's, 1608 Douglas. Phone L1482.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received at the office of the Board of School Trustees, on or before 5 o'clock p. m. of Wednesday, October 18th, 1911, for the erection and completion of a High School Building on grounds situated on Fernwood road and Grant street, in the City of Victoria, B. C.

Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque, payable to the Board of School Trustees, for an amount equal to 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender.

Separate tenders will be received for the Plumbing, Heating and Electrical work.

Drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

C. ELWOOD WATKINS,
Architect.
Rooms 1 and 2, Green Block.

License to an Extra-Provincial Company

"Companies Act" 1897

CANADA.
Province of British Columbia.
No. 472.

This is to certify that the "Lumber Insurance Company of New York" is authorized and licensed to carry on business within the Province of British Columbia, and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate at the Borough of Manhattan City, County and State of New York.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at Cranbrook, and E. Home, a lumberman, whose address is Cranbrook aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

The amount of the capital of the Company is two hundred thousand dollars divided into two thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

(L.S.) S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The objects for which this Company has been established and licensed are: Carrying on the business of making insurances on dwelling houses, stores, and all kinds of buildings and household furniture, and other property against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storms or tornadoes; and upon vessels, boats, cargoes, goods, merchandise, freights and other property against loss or damage by all or any of the risks of lake, river, canal and inland navigation and transportation; and to effect reinsurance of any risks taken by it.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay

EXTENSION OF LIMITS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application has been made to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to extend the limits of the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay by including the following lands, namely:

All that portion of Section 25 in the District of Victoria lying outside the limits of the City of Victoria, Sections 26 and 27 in the said District of Victoria within the following boundaries:

Commencing at a point on the western boundary of the Municipality at the southeast corner of Section 25, thence westerly and northerly along the eastern boundary of the City of Victoria to the northwest corner of Section 27, thence easterly along the northerly boundary of Section 27 to the western boundary of the Municipality, thence southerly along the western boundary of the Municipality to the point of commencement.

WILLIAM HENDERSON,
Reeve.
J. S. FLOYD,
Clerk.

Dated the 13th day of September, 1911.

LAND ACT

HIGHLAND OR GOLDSTREAM LAND DISTRICT.
DISTRICT OF VICTORIA.

Take notice that Matilda Greenwood John, of Victoria, B. C., nurse, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at high water mark on the western shore of Finlayson Arm and about forty chains (40 ch.) north of the northwest corner of section six (6), Goldstream district, and near the mouth of Arbutus Creek, thence east twenty chains (20 ch.) more or less to the shore line of Finlayson Arm, thence north along the shore line forty chains (40 ch.) more or less to west forty chains (40 ch.) more or less to the western shore line of Finlayson Arm, thence south along the shore line of Finlayson Arm forty chains (40 ch.) more or less to the place of commencement, and comprising eighty acres (80 ac.) more or less.

MATILDA GREENWOOD JOHN.
Date of location, 11th June, 1911.

The Store That Serves You Best.

Quality Goods Only

GORGONA ANCHOVIES IN SALT OR OIL, bottle ..... 50¢
GENUINE RUSSIAN CAVIAR, tin, $1.25, 85c or ..... 40¢
PATE DE FOIS GRAS, jar $1.00 or 50c, per tin $2.50, $2.25, $1.75 or $1.00
PUREE DE FOIS GRAS, tin 35c, or ..... 25¢
EIDELWEISS CAMEMBERT CHEESE, tin ..... 50¢
PURE HONEY, glass jar 35c, 25c or 20c, 60-lb. tin $7.50
COMB HONEY, square ..... 25¢
PURE MAPLE SYRUP—genuine, bottle ..... 60¢
MAPLE FLAVOR, nice table syrup, 5-lb. tin 50c, 2-lb. tin ..... 25¢
TEA GARDEN DRIPS, tin $1.10, 50c or ..... 35¢
MANILA DRIPS SYRUP, tin 75c, 40c or ..... 25¢
GERMAN LIBERWURST—genuine imported, tin ..... 65¢
GERMAN FRANKFURTERS—imported direct, tin ..... 65¢
NORWEGIAN PTARMIGAN, tin ..... 60¢
SNOWBALL COVE OYSTERS, per tin ..... 40¢

DIXI H. ROSS & CO.

Independent Grocers, 1317 Government St. Tel. 50, 51, 52. Liquor Dept. 530.

REMOVAL NOTICE

Edwin Frampton's Real Estate Co.

The Exchange, 718 Fort St.

REMOVING TO

NOS. 1 AND 2

McGREGOR BLOCK

Corner of Broad and View Sts.

Opposite D. Spencer's

Garden City Lots $500 Each

RIGHT ALONGSIDE NEW CAR TRACK, city water and light, ½ acre each, only $50 cash, $15 a month.

CADILLAC ST., PARKDALE—Lots 50x110, $400; cash $125, $15 month.

INCREASE AVENUE—$400 to $425; $100 to $125 secures these fine lots; only a few minutes from end of Douglas car line; balance $15 month.

The Exchange

718 Fort St.

JOHN T. DEAVILLE, Prop.

FOR HOUSEHOLD FURNISHING AND MANY OTHER GOODS

A big stock on hand at present.

Maynard & Son

AUCTIONEERS

Instructed, we will sell at our Salesroom, 1314 Broad St.,

To-morrow 2 p. m.

ALMOST NEW AND WELL KEPT

Furniture and Fffects

Including Upright Piano, Oak Sideboard, Couches, 2 Extension Tables, Cutlery, Crockery, Dining Chairs, Oak Morris Rocker, large Oak Table, Mission Hall Mirror, 5 full size Iron Bedsteads, Springs and Mattresses, 3 Dressers and Stands, Mahogany Dressing Table, Toilet Sets, lot of Blankets, Carpet Squares, Carpet, etc.; large Mirror, Curtains, Child's Cot, Hall Rack, Sewing Machine, Kitchen Tables and Chairs, Cooking Utensils, 1 Enamel Toilet complete, Heaters, Cook Stoves, 3 Steel Ranges, Washing Machine, Lawn Mower, Ladies' Bike, 2¼ h. p. Gas Engine for Launch, etc. On view this afternoon.

ALSO IN LOT

four-year-old Pony, 1 Cow, 2 rubber-tired Buggies, lot of Wire Fencing, about 300 feet; lot of Black Minorcas, White Wyandottes, Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns, R. I. Reds, and other Chickens, Rabbits, etc.

MAYNARD & SON, Auctioneers.

Davies & Sons

AUCTIONEERS

Are selling out large quantity of FURNITURE, Stoves and other effects

At 828 YATES STREET

The London Second Hand Exchange Co.

We pay the highest cash price for cast-off clothing, such as ladies' and gents' boots and shoes, hats, all kinds of tools, guns and pistols. All kinds of books bought.

STERN & FLASH,

1601 Store Street. Telephone 1128.

BUY THE DAILY TIMES

MEAT AND CANCER

In view of the fact that meat, and especially fresh meat, is compartively very cheap in Australia, and in consequence its use probably very much more general than in any other country, it may be interesting on account of meat being frequently associated with cancer to note the incidence of this disease. In 1908 the total number of deaths reported in the Commonwealth was 46,426. Of this number 2,021, or 6.29 per cent, were due to cancer. If the population is estimated at four million five hundred thousand the incidence would be one death per annum in every 1,540 of the population. This rate is very much lower than that of the United States, Great Britain or Germany.

WHY AND WHEREFORE.

I know not whence I came,
I kno not whither I go.
But the fact stands clear
That I am here
In this world of pleasure and woe;
And out of the mist and murk
Another truth shines plain—
It is in my power
Each day and hour
To add to its joy or pain.

I know that the earth exists,
It is none of my business why,
I cannot find out
What it's all about—
I would only waste time to try;
My life is a brief, brief thing.
I am here for a little space,
And, while I stay,
I would like, if I may,
To brighten and better the place.

The trouble, I think, with us all
Is the lack of high conceit;
If each man thought
He was sent to the spot
To make it a little more sweet,
How soon we could gladden the world,
How easily right all wrong,
If nobody shirked
And each one worked
To help his fellows along.

Cease wondering why you came,
Stop looking for faults and flaws,
Rise up to-day
In your pride and say—
"I am part of the first great cause,
However full the world
There is room for an earnest man,
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SINGLE TAX SYSTEM EXPLAINED BY EXPERT

Henry George, Junior, Addresses Large Gathering—Father Once Lived Here

The whole economic principles of the single tax system were reviewed last evening before a good attendance at the Institute hall by Henry George, jr., son of the celebrated author of "Progress and Poverty." He was questioned at the close by John Dean, who admitted he was once an advocate of the principle but had abandoned it, and thereupon a representative of the local Henry George Association challenged the questioner to a debate on the subject at a later date.

In the absence of the premier the chair was taken by Mayor Morley, while the president of the Henry George Association of Victoria, A. Riach occupied the chair temporarily, and introduced the speakers. He said Mr. George was an economist, writer and lecturer, and the son of the greatest political economist the world had known. They were glad to welcome him here because he was "devoting himself ungrudgingly and nobly to the work of diminishing the heap of human misery, and increasing the sums of human happiness.

Mayor Morley said the speaker had the advantage of him in that he was a member of the Henry George Association, and he (the mayor) was not, yet from the first time he was elected to the mayoralty he had shown practical sympathy with the cause, and had pressed for a single tax in city, but they were only last year able to get the partial advance towards the principles Mr. George advocated, in the abolition of the tax on improvements. It was only that day in passing through the treasurer's office that one of the clerks suggested to him that the people who were paying taxes expressed more approval of this arrangement, than anything else which had been done around the city hall. In the passage of that measure they were assisted very greatly by the Henry George Association in that city. It was very easy for the mayor or aldermen to post a notice suggesting a measure of reform, but it was the active workers in the city who enabled the measures to be passed. He wished the premier had been present for the day would come shortly in British Columbia when the system of taxation must be reviewed. One after another the cities and municipalities of British Columbia were coming into line, and he was glad to see the representatives of the municipality of Oak Bay present, as a body which had preceded Victoria in the adoption of this principle.

Mr. George had a cordial reception on rising, and at the outset referred to his distinguished father's visit to Victoria in 1859 when he came north from San Francisco as an able seaman on a schooner, and after failing to find gold in the Fraser river, had returned to Victoria, and kept a store in a tent here before he went south again. It was his experiences at that time which enabled his father to write "Progress and Poverty" at a subsequent date, the theories he then formed taking shape in after life. The single tax principle meant the application of Christianity. At the very bottom, basis and foundation of the principle was the simple question of eternal justice and unless it could be tested by the highest moral question then he said it was out of court. (Applause.)

He had learnt something of their taxes and thought one of the most foolish was the poll tax. He believed they would make short shrift of it soon. (Applause.) The multitude of taxes was amazing, and in the maze it was confusing to know what was not taxed. He also criticized the license tax, asking what use it was to tax the bootblack or the chimney sweeper? He declared himself a free trader of the thoroughgoing type, in favor of the abolition of the customs house, and was strongly in favor of reciprocity, which he supported in congress. Amid laughter he continued: Oh I am not very proud of it, for they say in the United States the first time a man goes to congress he is a political accident, the next time "a returning member," the third that he is a "politician" and it is not till after he is dead that he becomes a statesman. Well, he was a political accident, and he was glad to give his assistance to knock a few bricks from the tariff wall between Canada and the States, or rather the broken bottles on the top of the wall. Why should not men be allowed to trade where they wished? If trade between nations was bad why should they not destroy their harbor, sell their ships, and go out of business? They had just the same fallacies on the south side of the line; the tariff mongers stuffed the ears, muddled the heads, and then robbed the consumer on every hand. (Applause.) The principle of the single tax was opposed to tariffs and the latter must go. They must work for the abolition of the income tax. In New York the authorities acted as they did with the drunks, they fined the builders of handsome structures for improving their properties, and it was a recurrent fine to publish people for developments. Taxation could go on till it taxed the clothes off a man's back, the bread out of the mouths of the poor and the babies into the grave.

Turning to land speculation, he said that the more speculation they saw in land, the less prosperity there was in that community. The landlords did nothing towards the prosperity of the community, and if they took the people away what would be left? It was an order of the decalogue, "Thou shalt not steal." It was equally true Thou shalt not steal from society. The tendencies of the present day were disastrous to the poorer people, and when a man lost his self-respect, he became nothing more than a dead thing on two legs. Their idea was to put land in the hands of the users to tax the land speculator out, and the land user in. (Applause.)

Mr. George went at some length into the progress made with the taxation of land values in the Lloyd George Budget in Great Britain and commended the Chancellor of the Exchequer for the stand which he took, in giving exemptions from taxation but remaining firm on the valuation, having in view the securing of an accurate record of the value of land throughout the country for future action. The tax there was only one-fifth of one per cent., producing $3,000,000. He congratulated Victoria in conclusion on the step taken in remitting the taxation on improvements.

John Dean asked a number of questions, dealing with local assessments, and the lecturer replied that he did not know enough about local conditions to answer them, but had come to lay down the broad principles. An invitation to a debate was made on behalf of the Henry George Association, a challenge which Mr. Dean said he should have to consider.

A cordial vote of thanks to the speaker was made on the motion of Dr. Lewis Hall, seconded by Rev. H. A. Carson.

NEW ALLAN LINERS.

Company Contracting for Two Speedy Vessels.—Ready 1913.

The Allan line directors are planning the inauguration of a fast service from Montreal to Liverpool, and hope to have it in operation early in 1913.

Tenders have been invited for the construction of two new liners in which speed is to be the chief consideration. The ships will be somewhat larger than the big turbine vessels, the Victorian and the Virginian, which are 520 feet in length. They will have a minimum speed of eighteen knots per hour, and will have large first and second class passenger accommodation, arranged in the most sumptuous manner.

The various shipbuilders of Great Britain and Ireland are endeavoring to excel each other in the production of the finest craft so far contemplated for the Canadian service.

So far as present arrangements go, they will have twin-screw reciprocating engines, but this is a matter in which the plans are still open to alteration, as is also the question whether they will have turbines or not. The new ships when ready for service, will replace two of the vessels at present on the Liverpool route, these in all probability being transferred to the Glasgow route.

Speaking of the new ships, an official told the Witness that speed would be the first consideration in their construction, their passenger accommodation and lastly cargo capacity. It is a law in marine construction, that as speed increases cargo capacity decreases, and decreases at an alarming rate, as the speed mounts. Vessels of ten knots per hour may carry 10,000 tons, a ship like the Corsican of 14½ knots, about 6,000 tons, the Virginian, of 17 knots, about 2,000 tons of cargo, while in a vessel of 23 knots cargo capacity has almost entirely disappeared.

The new ships will require over a year in construction, so they cannot be ready for the Canadian service until some time in 1913.

BOTHA'S DECLARATION.

Addressing his constituents in the Losberg district, General Botha said he much regretted the publication in July last of the Volkstem article advocating South Africa remaining neutral in the event of the United Kingdom being engaged in war. It was impossible for one portion of the Empire to go to war while another remained neutral. Should the common Fatherland ever be attacked Dutch and English Afrikanders would be found shoulder to shoulder defending the Fatherland to the very last.

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JEWISH RIOTS IN WALES

The exchanges are full of accounts and comments of the rioting in the Welsh valleys against the Jews. It appears that the reason for the outbreak was simply that conditions were chaotic, and that the rough element knew that the police were powerless, and so turned upon the Jews, as being the weakest and least liked, and thoroughly looted their premises. The looting only stopped when there were no more Jewish shops to be looted. It is regretted in some quarters that when the military arrived they did not fire after the reading of the "Riot Act," for after the military charged the mob came back behind the soldiers by way of the side streets, and renewed the looting behind the soldiers' backs. All the newspapers of the country are as one in their outspoken condemnation of these disgraceful happenings, but this does not alter the fact that there have been what practically comes to the same thing as "Russian pogroms" in Great Britain.

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